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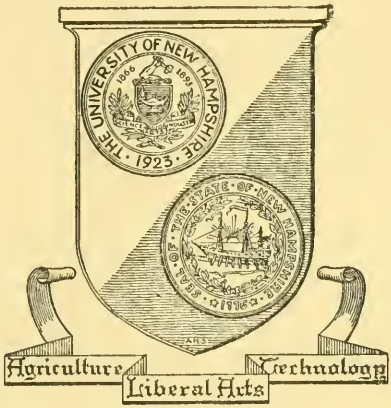

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JOSHUA STUDLEY, Mayor

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by Mayor Joshua Studley

Gentlemen of the City Council:

I greatly appreciate the honor that has been conferred upon me by the citizens of Rochester and, having taken the oath of office as your Mayor for the ensuing year, shall endeavor to fulfill the duties of that office to the best of my ability.

Realizing the responsibilities which are facing us, I feel that it is my privilege and duty to frankly and honestly state to you some of the problems with which we are confronted.

The responsibility of selecting the heads of the various departments of our City rests entirely upon you gentlemen of the City Council, and I trust that in making these selections every precaution will be taken to elect only those who will cooperate with the committees to be appointed by me as your Mayor, so that through harmony and earnestness a forward-reaching program may be developed.

It was not the intention of our forefathers in drafting our City Charter that the Mayor should dictate the policies of our City Government, but that all of our problems should be faced openly, and be frankly discussed, in order to determine the best course to pursue for the good of the City.

I am, therefore, pleased to return to this City Council any of its privileges that may have been withheld and give you the full right to rule and govern our City, according to the City Charter and the revised Ordinances.

With full knowledge concerning each problem as it is presented, and with ample time for full discussion, your honorable body will be privileged to act on each question.

I desire at this time to bring to your attention the following subjects for your careful thought and consideration.

Public Schools

The citizens of our City are extremely fortunate in having an exceptionally fine school system, the standards of which have been raised under the prudent leadership of our School Board and its Superintendent.

This advancement has been materially aided and made possible by the unselfish, generous spirit of the Spaulding family, in presenting for the youth of our City a new high school building, completely equipped in all its departments and which is proclaimed by leading educators to be one of the finest in the country.

We should cherish the memory of the donors of this gift and it is our responsibility to see that this Memorial is properly cared for, and unselfishly maintained.

I am of the opinion that the advantages of the Spaulding High School should be available for adult education classes, as well as for our youth. Many will be attracted by the educational advantages of our City, thereby increasing our population, trade, industry and homes.

Water Works

Our City can boast of one of the finest, economical water systems in this section.

With the increased demands for water, it is necessary that we should at all times anticipate the future needs of this department.

When consistent with public demand, it is advisable to make such extensions as may be deemed necessary by the Committee with the advice and counsel of its able Superintendent.

It is quite probable that there may be some parts of our City not amply supplied with water to give the proper fire protection, or with sewers to protect the health of our citizens.

These conditions should be given their deserved consideration.

Highway Department

In these days of heavy motor traffic, a city is judged by the condition of its highways, and this department is one to receive the most thoughtful as well as economical consideration.

It seems very essential that the main traffic highways of our City should be surveyed by competent engineers and plans made for modern safety improvements for the protection of our citizens.

The sidewalks on our main thoroughfares should also be carefully inspected and maintained to prevent unnecessary accidents.

The rural routes over which our school buses travel in transporting our children to the public schools should be properly repaired.

Shade Trees, Parks and Commons

Recently, all of New England was struck by a severe tropical storm which destroyed many shade trees in this city, and seriously damaged many of those that still remain. Rochester should have a definite program including the improvement and care of our parks and the setting of new shade trees.

Skating rinks should be located in several parts of the City and kept free from snow, as well as properly supervised, thereby affording an opportunity for the youth of our City to enjoy this fine sport and to keep our citizens off the river to prevent serious accidents.

Health

The welfare of our citizens is one of the vital problems constantly before us. Serious consideration should be given to the extension of our sanitary sewerage system.

Library

The over-crowded condition of our Library has been called to the attention of our City Council many times in the past, and it is imperative that action be taken to relieve the situation.

I trust that something definite will be accomplished this year.

Fire Department

The Fire Department is one of which we can be justly proud, and its record speaks for itself. Its equipment and its personnel must always be maintained to that degree of supremacy that our property may always be fully protected.

Public Buildings

Our City Hall and some of the other public buildings are sadly in need of repairs, a condition which reflects upon the City and should be remedied after careful study as soon as possible.

Police Department

The requirements of this department have constantly increased, owing to modes of transportation. The parking problem is still very serious, and much thought should be given to solving this condition. Firm, friendly courtesy should always be the aim of our officers in maintaining the regulations of this department as well as the safety and protection of our citizens.

Relief

Those people of our City who, through no fault of their own, now need assistance will be cared for, and no worthy case brought to our attention will go unaided. The weak and infirm will receive sympathetic consideration.

Finances

The following is a statement of the gross funded debt for the year ending December 31, 1939:

Water Construction Notes	$67,000 00
Sewer Construction Notes	5,418 52
School Alteration and Equipment Notes	1,000 00
Public Improvement Notes	11,136 20
Sewer and Water Construction Notes	6,000 00
New Schoolhouse Lot Notes	26,000 00
Fire Equipment	6,629 00
Surface Drain Construction Notes	3,257 12
Highway Construction and Equipment	67,382 40

This shows a total debt as of the close of 1939 of $193,823.24, divided as follows: Water debt, $67,000.00,

payable from revenue of the Water Works; Municipal debt, payable from tax levies, $126,823.24. This is substantially larger than the debt was a year ago. On January 1, 1939, the total debt was $153,884.72, divided as follows: Water debt, $68,000.00, payable from revenue of the Water Works; and Municipal debt, payable from tax levies, $85,884.72.

From 1936 to 1940 the net debt of our City has increased over 60%. This cannot be dismissed by saying that the new high school is the cause of it, for of the moneys owed by the City only approximately 13% is occasioned by the erection of that building. An examination of the City records will disclose other municipal activities contributing their share toward the indebtedness. Of the total debt, $33,987.25 is payable during the year 1940. This is an increase of $6,087.25 over the amount payable in 1939. Payments due on the City debt mean that from the income received by the City over $3 per each thousand of assessed valuation is necessary to pay debts previously incurred. This is an increase of more than 100% over the amount necessary to pay old debts in 1936, when only $1.40 per thousand of assessed valuation was necessary for debt retirement.

The financial statement and comments, which I have just brought to your attention, reveal that we must face the facts and, as a City government, adopt a sound financial program.

I desire particularly that your honorable body should give special attention to the following recommendations:

1. That a sidewalk be constructed on the Rochester Hill Road.

2. That the sanitary sewers be extended on Washington Street.

3. That the City Hall and the Ward House in Ward 6 be repaired, and that the crowded condition of our City Library be remedied.

4. That the rural routes over which our school buses travel be improved.

5. That the Water Department protect its source of supply and extend its lines.

6. That the City streets and sidewalks be kept clean, well cleared of snow, sanded when necessary, and every precaution taken to protect the public welfare.

Finally, gentlemen, with good roads bringing people into our City, with police and fire protection of a high standard, with healthy, wholesome and cheerful surroundings, and with unexcelled educational opportunities, Rochester will grow, progress and prosper. May we all work together so that when the history of this year is recorded, we, its officials, may feel gratified with our accomplishments.

CITY GOVERNMENT
AS ORGANIZED JANUARY 1, 1940

Mayor, JOSHUA STUDLEY

COUNCILMEN

Ward One—Burton L. Spiller, Albert R. Chalmers, Fred Durgin.

Ward Two—Charles V. Morgan, Arthur G. Alden, Harry J. Varney.

Ward Three—J. Ernest Richey, Edward E. Cossette, Ivan F. Gilman.

Ward Four—Wilfred Martineau, Thomas J. Sylvain, Edward B. Richard.

Ward Five—Harry S. Johnson, Ralph E. Came, Weston H. Palmer.

Ward Six—Kenneth H. Brock, Guy E. Chesley, Llewellyn F. Fernald.

City Clerk—Frank E. Hussey.

City Treasurer—Frank E. Hussey.

City Accountant—J. Stacy Tripp.

City Solicitor—Leonard C. Hardwick.

Collector of Taxes—Eugene C. Howard.

Street Commissioner—John H. Shepard.

Superintendent of Water Works and Sewers—George D. Dame.

Marshal—James Bowering, Jr.

Assistant Marshal—Wilfred Grenier.

Patrolmen—Vane E. Nickerson, Nelson S. Hatch, Edgar K. Johnson, James E. Connelly.

Police at Gonic—Gerald G. Lapierre.

Police at East Rochester—Edmond Hardy, Jr.

Chief Engineer of the Fire Department—Gordon G. Cushing.

Assistant Chief Engineer of the Fire Department—Charles L. Plummer.

Deputy Chief Engineers—Wilbur E. Horne, Burton L. Spiller, Joseph E. Woodes, Downing Osborne.

Sanitary Officer—Charles E. Goodwin.

City Physician—Norman K. Chesley.

Overseer of Poor—Forrest L. Keay.

Board of Health—Norman K. Chesley, Forrest L. Keay, Charles E. Goodwin.

Plumbers' Examining Board—Norman K. Chesley, Wilbur E. Horne, Charles E. Goodwin.

Assessors—J. Levi Meader, William E. Jacobs, Walter C. Lagotte.

Trustees of Trust Funds—Frank E. Hussey, John S. Kimball, Louis H. McDuffee.

Trustees of Public Library—Joel W. McCrillis, J. Stacy Tripp, George F. Wilson, Fred P. Meader, J. Levi Meader, Henry J. Grondin.

Licensing Board—Mayor Joshua Studley, City Marshal James Bowering, Jr., City Clerk Frank E. Hussey.

Manager of Opera House—Elihu L. Webster.

Janitor—Charles W. Goodwin.

Assistant Janitor—Louis H. Marcotte.

Janitor, East Rochester Opera House—William Lamontagne.

Janitor, Gonic Hall—Ernest Stevenson.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—James B. Callahan.

Special Police—Edward Joblonski, Alphonse Frenette, Chester Freeman, Milo Sinclair, Ralph Osterman, Ray Vittum, James B. Callahan, Fred L. Seavey, Earl Jenness, Alcide Pelletier, Charles E. Goodwin, A. F. Potvin, Esdras Martineau, Maxine Portrie, John Philbrick, Andrew R. Cassidy, Thomas Downing, Ernest E. Horne, Irvin Goodwin, Arthur Breton, Edward Wiggin, Frank Miller, Alphonse Sylvain, Freeman Parshley, Ambrose Massey, Felix Sanfacon, Carl Jacobs, Henry Roulx, A. H. Lapointe, Fred Doyle, I. B. Allen, George D. Dame, Frank Manning, Thomas Robinson, Samuel Shapleigh, Don P. Coburn, Malcolm Wormhood, Horace F. Haynes, Stanley VanBuskirk, Ralph Dunlap, Alfred Landry, Frank H. Boston, Robert Blair, Walter J. Carter, Albert Giroux, Neal Goodwin, Harold Arno, Clyde Stetson, Jr., Luther E. Wiggin, Walter J. Seavey, William J. Blair, George A. Creteau, Eudore Couture, Harold M.

Foss, Raymond Holmes, Elihu L. Webster, Joseph Woodes, Earl Davis, Frank Libby, Albert L. Wallace, William Lamontagne, Arthur H. Gary, Miles H. Dustin, Herbert F. Littlefield, William O. Allen, Archille Couture, Merritt Weeks, Lawrence VanBuskirk, John Shepard, Wilfred Boulanger, Albert Foster, Forrest Davis, Ernest J. Foss, Scott Winkley, Curtis Hall, Leon Blaisdell, William E. Littlefield, O. W. Brown, Henry W. Lewis, Charles W. Goodwin, Louis Marcotte, Ernest Stevenson, Jasper Ward.

Public Weighers—Elmer F. Haskell, Alphonse Ramsay, Albert Warburton, James Bowering, Sr., Forrest M. Davis, Ray Vittum, Sara E. Greenfield, A. F. Carter, Raymond Palmer, Wallace N. Fisher, Charles E. Fisher, Warren C. Howard, Guy N. Brown, Scott Winkley, Joseph Woodes, J. Raymond Fisher, Franklin Torr, Edna Capron, Chester H. Smith, James Poisson, D. Charles Levesque, Thomas F. Downing, Bernard C. Smith, George Herries, George E. Greenfield, Fred Durgin, Kenneth Dame, Herbert Bowering, V. E. Page, Walter B. Seavey, Leo Cormier, William York, Roy Marcotte, Forrest Campbell.

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber—Louis Cartier, David Shields, Norman Griffin, Nathaniel Davis, Alphonse Ramsay, William H. Emack, Robert Fownes, A. F. Potvin, Thomas Dudley, Clayton Severance, Russell Griffin, George V. Hussey, Arthur W. Barber, James O. Watson, Samuel Hale, James R. Mangar.

STANDING COMMITTEES, 1940

Finance—Mayor, Came, Palmer.

Shade Trees, Parks and Commons—Mayor, Alden, Durgin.

Public Instruction—Mayor, Morgan, Sylvain.

Claims and Accounts—Mayor, Alden, Brock.

Public Buildings—Spiller, Fernald, Chesley.

Fire Department—Came, Fernald, Richard.

Roads, Bridges and Drains—Johnson, Varney, Gilman.

Water Works and Sewers—Brock, Palmer, Richard.
Street Lights—Chalmers, Johnson, Richey.
Printing—Cossette, Spiller, Chalmers.
Elections and Returns—Chesley, Durgin, Morgan.
Legal Affairs—Mayor, Came, Cossette.
Bills in Their Second Reading and Enrolled Ordinances —Alden, Martineau, Sylvain.
Police—Mayor, Chesley, Palmer.
Purchasing Committee—Mayor, Chalmers, Fernald.

RECOMMENDATIONS

For Annual Appropriations, 1939

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Payrolls	$26,000 00	
Salary	1,500 00	
Road materials	10,000 00	
Gas and oil	4,000 00	
Repairs	5,000 00	
Culverts	500 00	
Salmon Falls Road	2,000 00	
Sidewalk construction	2,000 00	
Surface drains	3,000 00	
Bridge repairs	1,000 00	
Power and light	200 00	
Fuel	200 00	
Insurance	1,000 00	
Telephones	100 00	
Equipment	300 00	
Sundry	200 00	
		$57,000 00
Schools		$124,359 00
Fire		18,000 00
Police		13,000 00

HEALTH

Payrolls	$1,700 00	
General	150 00	
		$1,850 00

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Janitors	$2,420 00	
Fuel	2,000 00	
Lighting	500 00	
Insurance	1,750 00	
Sundry	1,000 00	
Public Library (Special)	565 00	
Gonic Hall	300 00	
		$8,535 00

ADMINISTRATION

Salaries	$11,100 00	
General	3,500 00	
		$14,600 00

Elections		$600 00
Sewerage		2,500 00

DEBT RETIREMENT

School alteration and equipment notes	$1,000 00	
Public improvement notes	2,000 00	
New school lot notes	7,000 00	
Sewer and water construction notes	2,000 00	
Equipment notes	3,400 00	
Sewer construction notes	7,500 00	
		$22,900 00
Interest		4,000 00
Shade trees and parks		2,500 00
County tax		62,949 01
Street lights		15,000 00

MEMORIAL AND ARMISTICE DAYS

American Legion	$400 00	
Veterans of Foreign Wars	100 00	
		$500 00
Publicity		500 00
Public Library		8,400 00
E. R. Library		300 00
Vital statistics		146 00
Legal adjustments		100 00
Old age assistance		16,000 00
Relief		20,000 00
Rubbish		3,380 00
		$397,119 01

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Schools	$6,000 00	
Auto permits	13,000 00	
State of New Hampshire	32,000 00	
Reimbursement for old age assistance	12,000 00	
Other income	5,000 00	
		$68,000 00
		$329,119 01

IMPORTANT RESOLUTIONS AND ORDERS

Passed by the City Council, 1939

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING ADDITION OF $200.00 TO OLD CEMETERY CONSERVATION FUND PERPETUA

That whereas, J. Henry Willey, deceased, bequeathed the sum of two hundred ($200.00) dollars, "to the Old Cemetery Conservation Fund Perpetua in trust—the income of the same to be forever used in caring for the lot of Moses Willey";

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester that said sum be accepted in accordance with said trust.

Passed January 3, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO REVISE ORDINANCES

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That the General Ordinances of the City of Rochester as revised and amended January, 1925, and as amended from said date thereafter, be revised, compiled and codified;

That the City Solicitor be and hereby is authorized to prepare and submit to the City Council for consideration such a revision, compilation and codification;

That the said City Solicitor be paid a reasonable compensation for said services and expenses in addition to his regular salary.

Passed January 4, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO HAVE SPAULDING ACCOUNT TO DATE PRINTED IN CITY REPORT

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That the expenditures of the Spaulding High School Account to date shall be printed in detail in this year's city report.

Passed January 4, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO HIRE MONEY IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That the Finance Committee be authorized to hire in anticipation of taxes, a sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars. Said sum to be hired on notes of the City and to be placed at such time as the best interests of the City require.

Passed January 4, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO TRANSFER INCOME FROM JOHN MOORE FUND TO ROCHESTER CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

Whereas, at a meeting of the City Council on April 7, 1914, it was voted that accumulations from trust fund left by will of Mrs. John Moore to the City of Rochester as trustee, the income of which is to be expended in the cemetery of Gonic Village, be paid to the Gonic Cemetery Association to be expended under its direction;

And whereas, Kathryn Moore Gould, the only surviving heir of Mrs. John Moore, has petitioned to turn the income from said fund over to the Rochester Cemetery Association;

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester that the order for payment of accumulations from said fund to the Gonic Cemetery Association be revoked and that the income from the fund bequeathed to the City of Rochester as trustee under the will of Mrs. John Moore, late of said Rochester, be turned over to the Rochester Cemetery Association, to be expended by said Association in accordance with the provisions of the deceased's will.

Passed February 7, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO BOND DEBT FOR HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION SALMON FALLS ROAD

Be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: Section 1. That section 4 of resolution of September 6, 1938, relating to P. W. A. Project for Highway Construction be and is hereby rescinded.

Section 2. That pursuant to the Municipal Bonds Statute the Treasurer, with the approval of the Committee on Finance, is hereby authorized to issue $22,000.00 bonds dated January 15, 1939, payable January 15, $6,000.00 in 1940 and 1941 and $5,000.00 in 1942 and 1943, for the purpose of raising money to finance P. W. A. Highway Construction Project No. 1117F, voted by said Mayor and City Council on September 6, 1938.

Passed February 7, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO REMOVE STUMPS FROM HANSON PINES

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: 1. That the Committee on Shade Trees, Parks and Commons be and hereby is directed to remove the stumps from that part of Hanson Pines located southerly of Heath Brook;

2. That the Highway Department be and hereby is directed to loan to the aforementioned Committee the steam-shovel, sufficient trucks and men to complete said removal, the Highway Department being paid therefor from monies appropriated for Shade Trees, Parks and Commons.

Passed March 7, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO CONSTRUCT SIDEWALKS TO REPLACE BRICK WALKS

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains be and hereby is authorized and instructed to construct a cement sidewalk in place of the old brick sidewalk now existing in front of the following premises; namely, No. 17 to No. 21 inclusive, Main Street, and No. 65 to No. 83 inclusive, North Main Street.

Passed March 7, 1939.

AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE, PAY OF CALL MEN IN COMPANIES THREE AND FOUR

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That Section 1, of Chapter 24, of the General Ordinances of the City of Rochester as amended on January 5, 1926, October 5, 1926, February

1, 1927, April 3, 1928, April 2, 1929, July 2, 1929, March 3, 1931, March 6, 1934, October 2, 1934, February 5, 1935, April 7, 1936 and May 3, 1938, is hereby further amended by striking out, "Members of companies 3 and 4, $40.00 each, payable semi-annually from the fire department," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Members of companies 3 and 4, $50.00 each, payable semi-annually from the fire department."

Passed April 4, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO RAISE MONEY FOR TRUCK AND FOR HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: 1. That the Finance Committee be and hereby is authorized to raise for and on behalf of said City of Rochester, through the issue of notes or municipal bonds as provided in Chapter 59 of Public Laws, a sum not exceeding Sixteen Thousand ($16,000.00) Dollars under such terms and conditions as to said committee seem best. Said notes or bonds to be issued in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 59 of the Public Laws.

2. That there be and hereby is appropriated from said loan, the sum not to exceed Six Thousand ($6,000.00) Dollars for the purchase of a truck for the Highway Department. Said truck to be purchased by the Purchasing Committee and the Highway Committee.

3. That there be and hereby is appropriated from said loan, the sum of Ten Thousand ($10,000.00) Dollars for highway construction and repair on Route No. 202, so-called, in said Rochester. This appropriation is made conditional upon the State Highway Department securing Ten Thousand Dollars in addition to the regular State Aid allowance of $2,528.00 for the same purpose.

Passed April 4, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT LAND FROM J. B. PEASE FOR A PARK

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: Whereas, John B. Pease, of the City of Rochester, County of Strafford and State of New Hampshire, has offered to convey to said City a tri-

angular tract of land with one hundred forty-seven (147) feet frontage on Charles Street and one hundred fifty-three (153) feet frontage on Hancock Street, conditional upon the City's building, maintaining and developing a park within said triangular tract;

That said City does accept said offer and does make provision for building, maintaining and developing of said park within said triangle.

Passed April 4, 1939.

RESOLUTION OF ANNUAL APPROPRIATION

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That the appropriations for 1939, submitted by the Finance Committee, be approved, and that action on the total amount to be raised by the City to defray the necessary expenses for 1939 be deferred until such time as the Finance Committee can submit to the Council the amount of the County Tax and the estimated receipts.

Passed April 4, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR DEMOLITION OF OLD HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

Whereas, the City Council and School Board of the City of Rochester in joint session did on October 5, 1937, pass the following resolution:

"That in compliance with the terms of the offer of the United States of America to the City of Rochester to aid by way of grant in financing construction of high school building and athletic field, the present high school building be demolished upon completion and occupancy of the new high school building."

And whereas, in order to secure the final grant of money from said United States Government, it is necessary to furnish said United States Government with satisfactory evidence that said building will be demolished;

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester that the Rochester High School Building Committee be and hereby is authorized to negotiate, contract or enter agreements for and on behalf of said City of Rochester for the demolition of said high school building.

Passed May 2, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO TRANSFER MONEY FROM INTEREST ACCOUNT TO LEGAL, ADMINISTRATIVE, ETC., ON PROJECT 1117F

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That, whereas, the original approved estimate and classification of project cost furnished to the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works for Project No. N. H. 1117F Highway Improvements, allocated six hundred ($600.00) dollars to "Interest during Construction," and no allocation was made to "Legal, Administrative, etc.";

And, whereas, expenses have or will be incurred that will be classified under "Legal, Administrative, etc.," and the amount allocated to "Interest during Construction" is more than sufficient;

That the allocation to "Interest during Construction" be reduced to four hundred ($400.00) dollars, and two hundred ($200.00) dollars be transferred and allocated to "Legal, Administrative, etc."

Passed May 2, 1939.

RESOLUTION FOR TRANSFER OF FUNDS TO CROWN POINT ROAD FROM 1117F

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That, whereas, the money raised by the City of Rochester, together with that furnished by the United States Government for Project No. N. H. 1117F for construction of highway improvements, will be more than required to complete the work on the Salmon Falls Road;

That the Mayor of said City be and hereby is authorized to take such steps as may be necessary to secure the transfer of funds under said project for the construction of highway improvements upon the Crown Point Road in said Rochester.

Passed May 2, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO PURCHASE TRUCK FOR HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: 1. That the Finance Committee be and hereby is authorized to raise for and on behalf of said City of Rochester, through the issue of notes a sum not to exceed $1,150.00, under such terms and con-

ditions as to said Committee seem best, said notes to be issued in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 59 of the Public Laws.

2. That there be and hereby is appropriated from the proceeds of said loan a sum not to exceed $1,150.00 for the purchase of a Ford ton and one-half truck for the highway department, said truck to be purchased by the Purchasing Committee.

Passed May 2, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO TRANSFER TO SPAULDING HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT MONEY COLLECTED FOR USE OF EQUIPMENT IN BUILDING ROAD

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: Whereas, the Highway Department of the City of Rochester performed certain work in the construction of a road across the school grounds to be used as a detour while certain houses were being moved from said school grounds;

And whereas, the said Highway Department was paid $902.48 from the Spaulding High School Construction Account for said work, of which amount $494.28 was for rent of equipment;

And whereas, the Public Works Administration of the United States Government does not allow charges for rental of equipment of the owner;

That there is hereby appropriated the sum of $494.28 to reimburse the Spaulding High School Construction Account for the aforesaid payment, said money to be transferred from any funds not otherwise expended.

Passed May 2, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE OF BIDS FOR ROAD OIL ON PROJECT 1117F

Be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains be and hereby is authorized to recommend to the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works for acceptance, such bid, of those made, for the furnishing of road tar on the Salmon Falls Road Project as it may deem best.

Passed May 2, 1939.

AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE, ELECTION OF SUPERVISOR TO ACT AS CHAIRMAN

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That Chapter XXIV, Section 1, be amended by adding at the end of such section the following:

Section 1. The City Council shall on the Wednesday next following each biennial election meet and elect one supervisor of the check list who shall act as chairman of the board.

Passed May 2, 1939.

AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE, RELATING TO TRAFFIC

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That Chapter XIV, Section 8, be amended by adding at the end of such section the following:

(35) All vehicles shall be brought to a stop on Salmon Falls Road before entering Eastern Ave. from said Salmon Falls Road.

Passed May 2, 1939.

AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE, RELATING TO SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That Chapter XI, Section 4, be amended by inserting after word construction the words "of cement sidewalks" so that said section shall read:

"4. All sidewalks built by the City of Rochester shall be constructed by and under the supervision of the Highway Department of said City. Preference in order of construction of cement sidewalks shall be given to Petitioners who by written application shall agree to pay one-half the cost of construction, said payment to be made before the work is begun."

Passed May 2, 1939.

AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE RELATING TO RAMPS ACROSS SIDEWALK

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That Chapter XI be amended by adding at the end thereof a new section.

10. No person shall be permitted to construct a ramp up to and across the sidewalk adjacent to his property without first securing the permission of the City Council to do so.

Passed May 2, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO PURCHASE ONE AND ONE-HALF TON TRUCK FOR HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: 1. That the Finance Committee be and hereby is authorized to raise for and on behalf of said City through the issue of notes a sum not exceeding eleven hundred ($1,100.00) dollars on such terms and conditions as to said Committee seem best. Said notes to be issued in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 59 of the Public Laws.

2. That there be and hereby is appropriated from said loan a sum not to exceed eleven hundred ($1,100.00) dollars for a purchase of a one and one-half ton truck for the Highway Department. Said truck to be purchased by the Purchasing and Highway Committees.

Passed June 6, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO ASK FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME ON PROJECT 1117F

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That, whereas, under the original terms and conditions Project No. N. H. 1117F Highway Improvements was to be completed on or before June 23, 1939;

And whereas, in order to complete said project by said date, it would be necessary to oil the gravel on said road while the gravel is still loose, which would result in a poor surface.

That the Mayor be and hereby is authorized to make application to the Federal Emergency Administration of the Public Works for an extension of thirty (30) days for completion of said project.

Passed June 6, 1939.

RESOLUTION OF ANNUAL APPROPRIATION

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That there shall be raised and there is hereby ordered to be raised with such overlay as may

be found necessary on the polls and ratable estates within said City $329,119.01 to defray the necessary expenses of the City for the ensuing year, which together with the sums which may be received from various sources is hereby appropriated.

Passed July 5, 1939.

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING PROVISIONS OF WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That the said City of Rochester accept the provisions of Chapter 178, of the Public Laws as amended dealing with workmen's compensation for all of those in its employ who are enumerated in one certain policy with the American Employer's Insurance Company (No. WC29790) to expire November 14, 1939.

Passed July 5, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO TRANSFER BALANCES IN SALMON FALLS ROAD ACCOUNT

Whereas, the classification of accounts as established for Project 1117F will on completion of the job show a deficit in the Construction Account, and balances in the other accounts;

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council that the City Accountant is hereby authorized to transfer on completion of the job any such balances remaining in any classification to any account showing a deficit.

Passed August 3, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO INSPECT AND ACCEPT SALMON FALLS ROAD

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That the Mayor and Highway Committee of said City of Rochester be and hereby is authorized to inspect the Salmon Falls Road, Project No. 1117F, and if in their view said construction meets with the specifications to accept the same for and on behalf of said City of Rochester.

Passed August 3, 1939.

RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING $19,000.00 FOR CONSTRUCTION OF CROWN POINT ROAD

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: 1. That the Finance Committee be and hereby is authorized and directed to raise for and on behalf of said City of Rochester, through the issue of notes or municipal bonds as provided by Public Laws, Chapter 59, a sum not exceeding Nineteen Thousand ($19,000.00) Dollars under such terms and conditions as to said Committee seem best. Said notes or bonds must be issued in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 59 of the Public Laws.

2. That there be and hereby is appropriated from said loan, a sum not to exceed Nineteen Thousand ($19,000.00) Dollars for the permanent improvement and complete hard surfacing of that portion of the Crown Point Road, so-called, leading from Doyle's Corner, so-called, to the town line of the Town of Strafford.

Passed September 5, 1939.

RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSTRUCTION OF CROWN POINT ROAD

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That the construction of the Crown Point Road, so-called, as authorized by the Mayor and City Council at their regular meeting on September 5, 1939, be done under the direction of the Committee on Highways.

Passed September 5, 1939.

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING STREETS LAID OUT BY A. W. LAGASSE

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That, whereas, upon the petition of A. W. Lagasse certain streets and public highways were laid out and accepted by the City conditional upon their being built and graded satisfactorily to the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains;

Now, therefore, your Committee hereby reports that said streets have been built and graded to the Committee's satisfaction.

THOMAS J. SYLVAIN,
JOHN J. HURLEY,
BURTON L. SPILLER.

Passed September 5, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO NAME WILFRED AND LAGASSE STREETS

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That, whereas, the undersigned has petitioned your Honorable Body for the layout of certain streets and public highways;

And whereas, your Honorable Body accepted the layout of said streets conditional upon their being graded and built to the satisfaction of your Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains;

And whereas, said Committee has now accepted said streets and highways;

Now, therefore, I petition your Honorable Body that the street extending from the extension of Pine Street in a southeasterly direction to the land of the Rochester Fair Association be known as Wilfred Street, and that street extending from said Wilfred Street to other land of the Rochester Fair Association be known as Lagasse Street.

A. W. LAGASSE.

Passed September 5, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO INSTALL MODERN PUMP FIRE HYDRANTS

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: I. That the Water Department be and hereby is instructed to install modern pump fire hydrants at the locations given below:

1. Winter and Silver Streets, near Studley Box & Lumber Company.
2. Lower end of Allen Street, near Allen & Hall Lumber Co.
3. Portland Street, corner of Central Avenue.
4. Wallace Street near Diamond Match Company.

II. That there be and hereby is appropriated for said purpose from surplus funds of the Water Department not otherwise appropriated a sum not to exceed Three Hundred Sixty ($360.00) Dollars.

Passed September 5, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO DISPOSE OF OLD HIGH SCHOOL LOT

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That the High School Building Committee be and hereby is authorized to dispose of the old High School lot and Vocational Building in such manner as will conform to the terms of the contract between the City of Rochester and the Spaulding families.

Passed September 5, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR DEFICIT IN CONSTRUCTION PROJECT 1117F

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That whereas the total cost of P. W. A. No. 1117F for Highway Improvement has been $52,613.51 or an over-run of $3,313.51 in excess of the estimated cost of $49,300.00.

And whereas the City of Rochester has provided the amount of this excess cost, and the funds have been deposited in the Project Account,

That the total amount of this excess cost, namely $3,313.51 be allocated to "Construction" among the Project Costs.

Passed September 5, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO RAISE MONEY TO COMPLETE 1117F

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: 1. That the Finance Committee be and hereby is authorized and directed to raise for and on behalf of said City of Rochester, through the issue of notes as provided by Public Laws, Chapter 59, a sum not exceeding Fifteen Hundred ($1,500.00) Dollars under such terms and conditions as to said Committee seem best. Said notes must be issued in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 59 of the Public Laws.

2. That there be and hereby is appropriated from said loan, a sum not to exceed Fifteen Hundred ($1,500.00) Dollars for the completion of payment of the construction of the Salmon Falls Road Project, so-called.

Passed September 5, 1939.

AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE, TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That Chapter XIV, Section 8, be amended by adding at the end thereof

(36) On Franklin Street before entering South Main Street from said Franklin Street.

(37) On Lincoln Street before entering South Main Street from said Lincoln Street.

(38) On Charles Street before entering Liberty Street from the north.

(39) On Twombly Street before entering North Main Street.

Passed September 5, 1939.

AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE, TAXI DRIVERS CARRY A LIABILITY INSURANCE

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That Section 21 of Chapter 16 of the proposed Ordinances be amended by changing the number thereof to 22:

That said section be further amended by inserting a new section 21 to read as follows:

"No person shall operate or cause to be operated a motor bus, jitney or taxi within the limits of said City unless he carries a motor vehicle liability policy as defined in Paragraph VII, Section 1, Chapter 161, Laws of 1937, on such vehicle."

Passed September 5, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO RAISE MONEY FOR SURFACE DRAINS

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: 1. That the Finance Committee be and hereby is authorized and directed to raise for and on behalf of said City of Rochester, through the issue of notes or municipal bonds as provided by Public

Laws, Chapter 59, a sum not exceeding Five Hundred ($500.00) Dollars under such terms and conditions as to said Committee seem best. Said notes or bonds must be issued in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 59 of the Public Laws.

2. That there be and hereby is appropriated from said loan the sum of Five Hundred ($500.00) Dollars to be used in connection with funds furnished by the United States Government for the construction of surface sewer drains on Whitehouse Street in said City of Rochester.

Passed October 3, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR DISPOSITION OF BALANCE FROM CROWN POINT ROAD

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That, whereas, at the September Regular Meeting of the City Council there was appropriated monies for the permanent improvement of the Crown Point Road;

And whereas upon the completion of said road, there may be a balance left from said appropriated sum;

That any said balance remaining be used for the improvement of the Ten Rod Road.

Passed October 3, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO RAISE MONEY FOR PURCHASE OF FIRE HOSE

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: 1. That the Finance Committee be and hereby is authorized and directed to raise for and on behalf of said City of Rochester, through the issue of notes or municipal bonds as provided by Public Laws, Chapter 59, a sum not exceeding One Thousand Fifty ($1,050.00) Dollars under such terms and conditions as to said Committee seem best. Said notes or bonds must be issued in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 59 of the Public Laws.

2. That there be and hereby is appropriated from the proceeds of said loan the sum of One Thousand Fifty ($1,050.00) Dollars for the purchase of one thousand (1,000) feet of two and one-half (2½) inch fire

hose which the Committee on Fire Department is hereby authorized and directed to purchase.

Passed October 3, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO PRINT ORDINANCES

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That the Committee on Printing be and hereby is authorized and directed to provide for the printing and publication of the Public Ordinances of the City of Rochester, cost of same to be paid from monies not otherwise appropriated.

Passed October 3, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO TRANSFER FROM INTEREST TO SURFACE DRAINS AT SPAULDING HIGH SCHOOL

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That whereas the City of Rochester has provided for the payment from its interest account of the interest due upon $40,000.00 notes issued for the construction of the Spaulding High School.

That if and when said interest payments are made from the Construction Account, a like amount be transferred to the Special Surface Drain Account to cover part of the cost of the Surface Drain Construction at the Spaulding High School.

Passed November 8, 1939.

RESOLUTION OF SIDEWALK ON NO. MAIN ST. BETWEEN PINE AND MAPLE STS.

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That a sidewalk on North Main Street, between Pine and Maple Streets, be rebuilt out of money not otherwise appropriated.

Passed November 8, 1939.

RESOLUTION RATIFYING AUTHORITY OF J. STACY TRIPP TO SIGN CHECKS

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That the action of the city accountant, J. Stacy Tripp, in signing checks, as acting treasurer, during the disability of the present city treasurer be hereby ratified, and that the said J. Stacy Tripp be

and hereby is authorized to sign said checks, as acting treasurer, during the continued disability of said city treasurer.

Passed December 7, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO TRANSFER BALANCES

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: That if found necessary in closing the accounts of the year to transfer from one department where there is a balance to a department where there is a deficit the Committee on Finance be authorized to make such transfer.

Passed December 7, 1939.

RESOLUTION TO SECURE BIDS ON SNOW PLOWS

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester: 1. That the Street Commissioner, the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains and the Purchasing Committee be and hereby are directed to secure bids for such snow plows as they may deem to be needed.

2. That the Street Commissioner, the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains and the Purchasing Committee be and hereby are authorized to purchase for the City of Rochester such snow plows as they may deem to be needed.

3. That there be and hereby is appropriated from monies not otherwise appropriated a sum not to exceed One Thousand ($1,000.00) Dollars for the purchase of said plows.

Passed December 7, 1939.

ASSESSORS' INVENTORY

1939		
Land and buildings		$7,626,497 00
Electric plants	1	268,442 00
Horses	184	18,205 00
Cows	724	45,245 00
Other neat stock	84	3,090 00
Sheep	105	525 00
Hogs	3	20 00
Fowls	9,562	9,562 00
Fur-bearing animals	25	225 00
Goats	13	65 00
Portable Mills	3	1,350 00
Boats and launches	11	220 00
Wood, lumber, etc.		33,503 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks		16,245 00
Stock in trade		1,039,925 00
Mills and machinery		1,175,609 00
Total Valuation		$10,238,728 00
Polls	6,053	$12,106 00
National bank stock taxes		1,311 75
Amount of taxes committed to collector, including poll taxes and national bank taxes		337,346 98
Average rate per cent. of taxation for all purposes		31 64
Amount of real estate exempted from local taxes		None
Amount of mills and machinery exempted from local taxes		None
Amount of stock in trade exempted from local taxes		None
Amount exempted to soldiers		104,240 00

ALFRED J. BEAUDOIN,
J. LEVI MEADER,
WILLIAM E. JACOBS,
Assessors.

EXPENDITURES

January 1, 1939, to January 1, 1940

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Paid Mack Motor Truck Co., truck parts	$775	33
Farmer Motor Sales, repairs	25	93
Gonic Garage, repairs	530	91
Murdock & Arthur, Inc., repairs	62	27
John D. Blaisdell, repairs	420	10
Rochester Radiator Service, repairs	28	25
Mitchell's Garage, repairs	2	60
Potvin's Garage, repairs and tires for grader	537	10
Phillips' Garage, repairs and tires for grader	420	49
Auto Electric Service Co., repairs	11	52
Ralph H. Bunker, repairs	129	68
Fisher Machine Shop, repairs	2	75
Hervey's Tire Shop, tires, tubes and repairs	1,356	50
George F. Wilson, batteries and repairs	266	30
Highland St. Garage, 10 gals. gas	1	80
Tractors, Inc., repairs	177	64
Albert Gagne, repairs on truck curtains	6	35
John F. Griffin, chauffeurs' licenses	28	00
Hedge & Mattheis Co., grader parts	147	48
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., grader, mixer parts and culverts	396	68
The Buffalo Springfield Roller Co., parts	28	45
Casellini Venable Corp., shovel parts and supplies	309	37
Ray Road Equipment, pair of chain falls	37	50
E. Corey & Co., supplies	147	16
Brackett & Shaw Co., sundry		50
Walter A. Morrison Co., material and labor	33	19
Bancroft & Martin Rolling Mills Co., supplies	36	95
Johnson Foundry, manhole casting, coal chute, D. receiver and supplies	66	20
Ralph P. Corson, keys		50
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culverts	418	22

Paid N. H. Welding Supply Co., acetylene	$58 59
M. F. Ellis & Co., shovels, picks, brushes and lanterns	258 44
Dance Co., Inc., broom, belts, bushings and thermometer	100 38
Louis Weinstein, 395 lbs. burlap	11 85
Rochester Grain Co., road salt	140 25
Farm Service Co., road salt	51 00
Eugene C. Foss Co., hardware	58 91
Ayers & Jenkins Co., hardware	243 85
I. B. Williams & Sons, supplies	3 59
G. W. Blake, supplies and labor	32 56
J. Herbert Seavey, dynamite	54 32
A. A. Gregoiry, bulb, socket, fuses and labor	1 60
The Diamond Match Co., lumber	4 16
Fownes Lumber Co., cement and lumber	33 47
Wm. H. Champlin, lumber	3 70
V. E. Page & Son, coal	116 00
J. A. Morrill, coal	156 13
Water Department, fixtures	70
The J. Milton Hagy Waste Works, material	31 81
Palmer Plumbing Supply Co., supplies	6 19
Spaulding Fibre Co., Inc., material	73
W. B. Jones, grease fittings	2 45
New England Brick Co., brick	5 75
Feineman Brothers, boots	19 90
Fred P. Meader, pens and pencils	3 00
Ralph E. Came, compensation insurance	837 17
A. L. Postman, safety supplies	6 09
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones and tolls	294 29
The Twin State Gas & Electric Co., lighting	191 46
Salmon Falls Road, PWA 1117F, transfer from budget appropriation	3,313 51
M. P. D. Motor Express, express	1 25
W. M. Auclair, express	2 50
Frank E. Hussey, express paid	35 98
Boston & Maine R. R., freight	21 67
Peterson's Motor Express, express	8 19
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 34,092 gals. gas	4,192 37

Paid The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 2,137 gals. burning oil	$167 40
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 150 gals. Arc. oil	96 00
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 215 gals. A. F. oil	137 60
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 670 gals. B. B. oil	423 76
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 25 lbs. G. G. Sponge grease No. 1	2 60
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 350 lbs. grease No. 2	41 85
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 25 lbs. Gargoyle Viscolite No. 10	2 05
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 150 gals. B oil	99 20
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 400 lbs. gear compound	43 00
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 100 gals. gear oil W	6 50
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 100 gals. gear oil S	6 50
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 5 gals. mobiloil No. 6	80
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 200 gals. gear oil	12 00
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 5 lbs. G. G. Viscolite L. M.	2 19
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 5 lbs. Gargoyle Viscolite	1 88
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 10 gals. Cylrex A	5 82
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., 25 lbs. Lubrite	6 00
The Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., Inc., stop leak	1 26
H. H. McGuire & Co., Inc., asphalt	1,468 86
Koppers Co., Tarmac	7,868 20
Harvey D. Smith, insurance	124 75
John F. Conrad, taxi hire	1 00
Lida Varney, storage of sand	12 00
Louis D. Potvin, cutting bushes	12 96
Burton L. Spiller, use of car and repairing signs	24 70
Charles H. Felker, rent of land	30 00

Paid J. W. Hussey, filing saws	$7 55
James McAllister, gravel	656 00
George Currier, gravel	155 60
Roscoe Foss, 5 cords slabs	20 00
Roland R. Pike, 3 cords slabs	9 00
F. E. Hussey, 3½ cords pine tops	8 75
John Shepard, Commissioner, salary	1,528 84
Payrolls for labor	25,822 79
Total expenditures	$55,516 94

CREDIT

Appropriation	$51,000 00
Received from:	
State of N. H., gas tax refund	$129 56
State of N. H., men and equipment	5 40
Shoveling gravel	3 25
Salmon Falls Road, pay rolls reimbursement	1,310 51
Wm. H. Champlin, building road	120 53
Frank L. Kendall Agency, insurance refund	91 16
Gas sold	75
Isaac LeClair, refund	29 40
G. A. Stacy, man and grader	45 67
Standard Oil Co., refund on gas	47 58
Telephones, PWA and city employees	164 83
Freight refund, PWA 1117F	2 20
Parks and Commons, hauling brush and pulling stumps	15 89
Salt sold, 3 bags	2 00
C. P. Beard, 50 gals. gas	5 89
E. L. Rolfe, 359 gals. tar	40 20
Bessie Torr, 300 gals. tar and sand	38 34
E. Kelley, refund	2 97
Road material sold	249 94
Feineman Bros., road oil and labor	23 00
Rochester Fair Assn., labor	5 64
F. N. Dow, labor	9 22
A. W. Lagasse, labor	12 24
Esdras Martineau, refund for overpayment	1 62
Howard Chase, road material and labor	1 50
Transferred from rent of equipment	676 14

Rec'd Refund from error in payrolls	$135 39
Deficit	1,346 12
Total	$55,516 94

RUBBISH

Paid The Courier Publishing Co., advertising	$4 20
C. E. Newcomb, hauling rubbish	3,347 00
Total expenditures	$3,351 20
Balance	28 80
Total	$3,380 00

CREDIT

Appropriation	$3,380 00

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Paid Strafford York Gas Co., heating	$48 18
The Twin State Gas & Elec. Co., lighting	424 02
A. A. Gregoiry, supplies	12 58
Rochester Germicide Co., 5 cases towels	12 00
D. F. Monroe Co., 5 cases toilet paper	20 09
Masury Young Co., brushes, sweeping compound and soap	20 75
Eugene C. Foss Co., hardware	6 25
Ayers & Jenkins Co., hardware	49 80
Dumont Tea Room, paint and step ladder	124 10
Fownes Lumber Co., lumber and shellac	5 98
The Diamond Match Co., lumber and coal for city hall and public library	1,797 54
J. A. Morrill, coal and ice	579 48
James Bowering & Sons, coal	17 58
Wm. H. Champlin, 2 bags sawdust	53
The Pioneer Mfg. Co., 30 gals. spray	46 80
Willard I. Cushing, 2 brooms	2 00
Ralph P. Corson, lock and keys	2 20
A. W. Kay, supplies	10 93
Frank E. Hussey, miscellaneous expenses paid	5 71
Boston & Maine R. R., freight	1 00

Paid Peterson's Motor Express, express	$1 89
Sanborn-McDuffee Co., supplies and labor	582 09
Potvin's Garage, spray	2 25
Fisher Machine Shop, sharpening mowers and shears	3 25
Rochester Crystal Pond Ice Co., ice	13 08
Charles W. Varney & Co., insurance	466 06
Ralph E. Came, insurance	420 42
F. E. Small, insurance	402 05
F. L. Kendall Agency, insurance	402 54
V. W. Preston, insurance	50 26
W. E. Cleaves, repairing clock	2 50
L. C. McAllister, repairing clock	2 00
Raymond Andrews, hauling wood	4 50
B. H. Anctil, labor Gonic hall	21 15
Leon E. Buffum, painting Gonic hall	81 81
George W. Mills, painting Gonic hall	77 76
Donat Larose, repairs Gonic hall	137 80
Alphonse Croteau, painting Gonic hall	72 00
Romeo Richey, painting Gonic hall	48 75
Wm. Otis, labor	1 00
Ernest A. Horne, labor	3 70
Frank Towle, labor E. R. Opera House	9 60
Harry J. Varney, repairing doors city hall	37 10
Elmer A. Garland, glazing windows city hall	19 70
Alphonse Sylvain, janitor city hall	1,223 07
Harry I. Howard, assistant janitor city hall	373 18
Scott Winkley, assistant janitor city hall	51 91
James Fox, assistant janitor city hall	492 21
Ernest Couture, janitor Gonic hall	160 00
Wm. A. Lamontagne, janitor E. R. Opera House	160 00
Total expenditures	$8,511 15
Balance	38 28
Total	$8,549 43

CREDIT

Appropriation	$8,535 00

Received from:	
J. A. Morrill, refund on coal	$1 60
Vending machines	12 83
Total	$8,549 43

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Paid N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	$72 76
Strafford-York Gas Co., heating	15 42
The Twin State Gas & Elec. Co., lighting	209 33
A. A. Gregoiry, supplies and labor	76 71
W. I. Cushing, paint cleaner and toilet paper	9 95
P. F. Casey Co., motor brushes	4 28
Ayers & Jenkins Co., hardware	7 80
Eugene C. Foss Co., hardware	21 45
Rochester Hardware & Supply Co., hardware	2 06
E. L. Paige & Co., soap	2 50
Frank W. Hackett, 3 chamois	3 45
First National Stores, 2 bottles ammonia	1 54
Sanborn-McDuffee Co., curtains and congoleum	8 06
Gofkauf's Stores, Inc., 2 snow shovels	1 10
Parker Danner Co., 1 doz. shovels	13 00
M. F. Ellis & Co., brushes and wipers	34 63
American-LaFrance Foamite Corp., material and labor	369 11
Arthur H. Blanchard Co., supplies	18 56
T. W. Osgood, supplies	6 50
A. W. Kay Estate, supplies	8 57
The Gamewell Co., parts and paint	404 23
Evans Furniture Co., supplies	10 14
Globe Mfg. Co., 1 yard water proofed cloth	73
Michael's Daylight Store, sheets and slips	28 32
Miltonia Mills, blankets	35 40
The Evans Mill Supply Co., spotlight and supplies	26 22
Fenno W. Fifield & Co., 20 inspector's report books	9 25
Fire Engineering, subscription	2 00

Paid James George, repairing coat	$1 25
Albert Gagne, repairing coat	2 20
Gorham Fire Equipment Co., rubber boots and first aid kit	6 63
G. W. Blake, 12 fire alarm box backs	10 20
Arnold I. Richards, painting and lettering fire alarm locations	21 75
Earl A. Hardy, 2 first aid kits	1 80
Rochester Water Works, shoveling hydrants and pipe	69 44
Harry C. Jacobs, removing snow from hydrants	14 58
Gonic Mfg. Co., 1 carboy oil of vitriol	3 84
Palmer Plumbing Supply Co., 12 air valves	14 11
Fownes Lumber Co., lumber	3 18
V. E. Page, 1 ton coal	13 50
J. A. Morrill, coal	410 90
John F. Griffin, chauffeurs' licenses	14 00
George F. Wilson, repairs, batteries, hydrometer	97 80
Hervey's Tire Shop, repairs	96
Phillips' Garage, repairs	69 19
Mitchell's Garage, repairs	40
Murdock & Arthur, Inc., repairs	20
Gonic Garage, repairs	18 98
Highland St. Garage, repairs	8 80
Farmer Motor Sales, repairs	6 10
Fisher Machine Shop, repairs	6 00
Wilbur E. Horne & Son, repairs	26 30
Walter N. Morrison, supplies	1 25
Chas. F. Kellom, 60 gals. oil	36 23
The Texas Co., gas	73 26
Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., 25 gals gear oil	2 00
Frank H. Libby, sandwiches	5 00
Edward G. Croteau, coffee and sandwiches	7 10
Thelma Barber, laundering	20 15
Mrs. Arthur H. Bickford, laundering	28 65
Frank E. Hussey, miscellaneous expenses paid	1 97
Ralph E. Came, compensation insurance	180 60
Frank L. Kendall Agency, compensation insurance	2 77

Paid Payroll, engineers	$450 00
Payroll, Cocheco Hose Co. No. 1	925 00
Payroll, Torrent Hose Co. No. 2	925 00
Payroll, A. D. Whitehouse Hose Co. No. 3	762 50
Payroll, Harrington Hose Co. No. 4	762 50
Payroll, Ela Hose Co. No. 5	810 00
Payroll, C. W. Bickford H. & L. Co. No. 6	910 00
Payroll, July 4	12 00
Payroll, forest fires	151 78
Payroll, watchmen at Gonic Baptist Church fire	8 00
Frederick Cookson, substitute driver	360 00
Gordon Cushing, chief engineer	1,732 70
Charles Plummer, first assistant engineer	1,592 70
Chester Whitney, truck driver	1,590 00
Edwin Emerson, truck driver	1,530 00
Samuel Locke, truck driver	1,440 00
Ralph Seavey, truck driver	1,560 00
Total expenditures	$18,106 34
Balance	1 98
Total	$18,108 32

CREDIT

Appropriation	$18,000 00
Received from:	
State of New Hampshire, refund on forest fires	58 14
Wyandotte Worsted Co., soda	4 78
Earl Davis, old hose	1 00
Wm. H. Champlin, fire extinguisher fluid	3 93
Elijah Oakes, fire extinguisher	10 37
Soda and acid sold	35
Cecil Roberts, hose	2 00
Refund, paid by error	9 75
American-LaFrance Foamite Co., goods returned	12 40
Soap sold	50
John A. Allen, fire extinguisher fluid	1 20
Norman Berry, hose	1 00

Rec'd Chas. McDuffee, horse blanket	$1 00
Payroll adjustment	70
Allen & Hall	1 20
Total	$18,108 32

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Paid Mitchell's Garage, repairs	$4 90
Gonic Garage, repairs	57 25
Carll's Garage, repairs	6 00
Farmer Motor Sales, repairs	75
John D. Blaisdell, welding	12 25
Hislop & Hall's Safety Station, repairs	4 35
Geo. F. Wilson, flashlight batteries, repairs and rentals	14 60
Bernard Tibbetts, repairs on silent policeman (E. R.)	3 35
John F. Griffin, chauffeurs' licenses	12 00
James B. Callahan, blacksmith work	3 75
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones and tolls	241 92
The Twin State Gas & Elec. Co., lighting	8 40
Casellini Venable Corp., signs and posts	15 64
J. B. Ingham, No Parking and Stop signs	62 30
Ayers & Jenkins Co., steel and snaps	1 00
Eugene C. Foss Co., cartridges and supplies	42 72
E. Corey & Co., 3 bars soft steel	7 18
Federal Laboratories, grenades, projectiles and cartridges	173 25
Western Auto Associate Store, supplies	8 61
Hervey's Tire Shop, tires and repairs	26 55
Ralph P. Corson, changing lock and keys	5 50
H. W. Dubois Co., supplies	12 43
The National Police Officer, subscription	2 00
Maitland J. Berry, board and room at police school and three trips to Manchester	22 90
Wilfred Grenier, board and room at police school	7 00
Fenno W. Fifield, supplies	30 25
The Rochester Courier, advertising	19 25
The Rochester Observer, advertising	44 25

Paid The National Survey Co., N. H. Register	$1 60
T. W. Osgood & Co., batteries and journals	7 70
Rochester Water Works, gasoline for year	131 79
Fownes Lumber Co., lumber	1 97
Boston & Maine R. R., freight	55
Ada E. Preston, insurance	33 00
Ralph E. Came, bonds and compensation insurance	184 12
Matthew Ingalls, shirts, belt, holster, badges and overcoat	152 25
Feineman Bros., clothes	409 95
Endicott Johnson Retail Stores, shoes	44 39
The Tropical Paint & Oil Co., paint	18 31
Frank L. Kendall Agency, compensation insurance	7 74
Shaw & Garnett, coffee and sandwiches	4 00
Lustra Sales Corp., bulbs	2 28
Gerald G. Lapierre, police at Gonic	100 00
Leon E. Blaisdell, police at East Rochester	75 00
Geo. M. Keagney, special police	15 75
Donald Libby, special police	66 85
Walter Carter, special police	20 30
Edmond Hardy, special police	47 60
John Hurley, special police	4 90
Ernest Couture, special police	11 55
Felix Sanfacon, special police	2 98
Edgar Johnson, special police	23 28
Albert Foster, special police	1 23
Joseph Woodes, special police	14 18
James B. Callahan, special police	8 25
Don Coburn, special police	70
Alcide Pelletier, special police	506 50
Jas. Elford, special police	1 05
Ralph Dunlap, special police	12 60
C. E. Goodwin, special police	2 00
Lawrence VanBuskirk, special police	136 23
Clyde Stetson, Jr., special police	62 24
Neal Goodwin, special police	242 55
Stanley VanBuskirk, special police	179 80
Ernest Horne, special police	26 08
Albert Cardin, special police	3 50

Paid Maxine Portrie, special police	$2 98
Robert Blair, special police	45 52
Malcolm Wormhood, special police	2 98
Carl Jacobs, special police	5 95
Charles G. Jenness, probation officer and expenses	256 35
Gardner S. Hall, judge of police court	900 00
William E. Jacobs, clerk of police court	400 00
Fred S. Hartford, marshal	800 02
Maitland J. Berry, marshal	784 66
Clyde R. Cotton, assistant marshal	41 20
Wilfred Grenier, assistant marshal	1,525 10
James Bowering Jr., night watch	1,389 46
Vane Nickerson, traffic officer	1,426 92
Nelson Hatch, patrolman	1,356 81
Jasper Ward, patrolman	1,356 81
Total expenditures	$13,709 88

CREDIT

Appropriation	$13,000 00
Received from:	
American Employers Insurance Co., Peterson Motor Express accident	16 00
Maitland J. Berry, serving writ	1 20
Federal Laboratories, Inc., refund	8 30
Witness fees	19 08
James Bowering, refund	28 00
Deficit	637 30
Total	$13,709 88

ADMINISTRATION

Paid N. H. Assessors' Assn., dues	$2 00
Municipal Finance Officers' Assn., dues	10 00
Anna M. Morin, discharge fees and recording 584 real estate transfers	128 07
Ethel G. Waldron, 54 reports on real estate transfers	3 40
H. A. Manning Co., 6 directories	75 00
W. P. Garrison, auto and truck guide	8 10
The National Survey Co., N. H. Register	1 60
Carl Larson, ink, carbon paper and 2 chair cushions	18 41

Paid Edson A. Eastman Co., Inc., book of redemption blanks	$ 98
Fred P. Meader, supplies	6 50
J. L. Fairbanks Division, lien sales books	60 50
Wheeler & Clark, tax books	14 98
Roberts' Office Supply Co., supplies	14 22
Pioneer Office Appliance Co., mimeograph and supplies	143 50
Art Metal Cons. Co., desk partitions	3 60
Walker & Co., 3 desk sets and 12 pen points	14 60
Regina Mfg. Co., 1 gross pens	2 00
A. E. Martell Co., general ledger, sheets, cash journal and binders	135 57
The Cragg Bindery, binding ward inventory blank books	33 50
T. W. Osgood & Co., supplies	5 20
Fenno W. Fifield & Co., office supplies and printing bill heads, property tax bills and letter heads	158 00
The Record Press, 1938 city reports	885 30
The Record Press, printing 300 city ordinances	203 25
The Record Press, printing and binding	125 70
The Rochester Courier, advertising	11 75
The Rochester Observer, advertising and printing	37 40
Ainslie's Drug Store, repairing pen	3 15
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., care of machine	19 46
Harold E. Foss, P. M., envelopes and stamps	451 96
Leon & Hayes, die and plug	10 60
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones and tolls	315 94
Harvey E. Warburton, ice for bubblers	55 00
Ralph E. Came, surety bonds for city clerk, treasurer, and tax collector, and compensation insurance	190 06
F. E. Hussey, express paid and incidentals	92 95
Studley Flower Gardens, flowers for Harry Meader and Fred Hartford	20 00

Paid Arnold I. Richards, sign city clerk's office	$3 25
Board of Assessors, use of cars	150 00
Sarah C. Horne, clerical work	15 23
William E. Jacobs, paid for recording	1 50
Clyde R. Cotton, real estate attachments	11 90
Ralph Dunlap, serving writs	7 80
Leonard C. Hardwick, revising ordinances	198 00
Leonard C. Hardwick, solicitor	700 00
F. E. Hussey, treasurer	450 00
Eugene C. Howard, tax collector	1,600 00
William E. Jacobs, assessor	833 04
Alfred J. Beaudoin, assessor	833 04
Harry L. Meader, assessor	208 26
J. Levi Meader, assessor	624 78
James B. Callahan, sealer of weights and measures	300 00
Ruth Wood, clerical work	193 50
Arlene Baker, assistant clerk	1,150 23
John F. Conrad, mayor	611 50
F. E. Hussey, city clerk	1,681 73
J. Stacy Tripp, accountant	2,038 46
Total expenditures	$14,874 47

CREDIT

Appropriation	$14,600 00
Received from:	
Telephone calls	$2 65
Bounty on hedgehogs	11 40
Express	16
Expense to collect bill	16 00
Expense attaching real estate	5 85
Frank L. Kendall Agency, insurance refund	15
Anna Morin, redemptions	15 45
Deficit	222 81
Total	$14,874 47

OPERA HOUSE DEPARTMENT

Paid The Twin State Gas & Elec. Co., lighting	$102 01
Henry Higson, labor on floor lifting gears	17 00

Paid Harold M. Poore, tuning and repairing piano	$3 50
Globe Ticket Co., 12 sets tickets	28 80
Ralph E. Came, compensation insurance	1 59
F. E. Hussey, miscellaneous expenses paid	48
Lyle Webster, manager	131 65
Belmont Allen, stage man	134 00
Joseph Woodes, ticket taker	35 00
John Allen, usher	40 00
Ralph Dunlap, usher	6 50
Malcolm Lowe, usher	6 50
Robert Allen, usher	1 00
William Miller, usher	5 50
Frank Miller, usher	3 00
Harry Dorr, usher	2 00
Charles Nelson, usher	4 50
Leroy Redlon, usher	2 50
Harold Smith, usher	3 00
Raymond Sylvain, usher	4 00
Charles Wood, Jr., usher	50
Total expenditures	$533 03
Balance	453 20
Total	$986 23

CREDIT

Balance from 1938	$88 96
Received from:	
Baron West	128 00
Buck Nation	97 00
Rochester High School	149 00
American Legion	20 50
Chamber of Commerce	48 00
Spaulding Fibre Co., Inc.	30 00
Rochester Grange	13 00
St. Mary's Church	39 00
Boy Scouts	40 00
Ken MacKenzie	90 00
Harmony Club	60 00
Kiwanis Club	18 00
Lodge of Elks	18 00
Rochester Courier	54 00
Yvonne Parenteau	35 00

Rec'd V. F. Wars	$10 00
Square Deal Club	16 00
Check room	31 60
F. L. Kendall Agency, insurance refund	17
Total	$986 23

SIDEWALK DEPARTMENT

Paid Fownes Lumber Co., cement	$1,373 76
The Diamond Match Co., lumber	40
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., 3 wheelbarrows	46 50
Ralph E. Came, compensation insurance	5 80
Frank L. Kendall Agency, compensation insurance	22 50
Payrolls, labor	2,456 03
Total expenditures	$3,904 99
Balance	191 91
Total	$4,096 90

CREDIT

Appropriation	$2,000 00
Received from:	
Ferdinand Hamel, sidewalk	32 27
Albert Boivin, sidewalk	227 11
Ernest Allen, sidewalk	53 22
Dwight Raab, sidewalk	41 00
Geo. Turmelle, sidewalk	48 76
Walter Lagotte, sidewalk	37 78
Aime Giguere, sidewalk	40 11
R. C. Leary Estate, sidewalk	27 77
Ernest Jackson, sidewalk	64 20
Horace Haynes, sidewalk	32 00
Elmira Label, sidewalk	55 44
John LaClair, sidewalk	62 00
C. S. Copeland, sidewalk	11 52
Edward Laurion, sidewalk	32 22
William S. Davis, sidewalk	48 78
J. H. Edgerly, sidewalk	105 08
C. H. Farmer, sidewalk	126 22
Wilfred J. Rocheleau, sidewalk	34 45
George A. Creteau, sidewalk	148 67

Rec'd Henry Vachon, sidewalk	$49 33
Emilio Bergeron, sidewalk	49 33
Romeo Larose, sidewalk	43 22
Mary J. Bilodeau, sidewalk	57 67
Edward Richard, sidewalk	201 81
Joseph Michael, sidewalk	124 32
Sadie Perreault, sidewalk	77 94
Holy Rosary School, sidewalk	207 81
Albert E. Chasse, sidewalk	30 56
Refund, error in payroll	26 31
Total	$4,096 90

SALMON FALLS ROAD PROJECT 1117F

Paid Fownes Lumber Co., cedar posts, lumber and cement	$360 44
E. J. York, cement pipe, lumber and cement	1,923 40
Hume Pipe Co., pipe	176 48
E. Corey & Co., reinforcing steel and bush hammer	213 97
Spaulding Fibre Co., galvanized sheet steel	13 40
E. C. Foss Co., hardware	70 34
Ayers & Jenkins Co., hardware	152 48
Rochester Water Works, 10 sticks dynamite	1 50
W. P. Gamon Handle Co., 5 doz. lanterns	16 17
Dyar Sales Co., 2 doz. shovels and 1 doz. handles	34 05
J. Herbert Seavey, dynamite and exploders	21 70
M. F. Ellis & Co., lanterns and globes	53 56
Sanborn-McDuffee Co., galvanized pipe	9 60
Rochester Grain Co., 300 empty sacks	9 00
Bancroft & Martin Rolling Mills Co., 1,000 ft. guard rail cable	52 92
Hussey Mfg. Co., channel iron	1 80
Cocheco Woolen Mfg. Co., labor drawing water	8 76
Tractors, Inc., cable	34 42
E. G. Rand & Son, 350 empty bags	10 50
Boston Blue Print Co., blue prints	3 81

Paid Ames-Sheahan, engineering and use of equipment	$29 60
City of Rochester, compensation insurance, interest and freight	595 51
Feineman Bros., 3 pairs rubber boots	13 50
Arnold Richards, 2 signs	19 00
G. W. Blake, 352 grade stakes, lumber and labor	14 54
James B. Callahan, blacksmith work	123 75
Boston & Maine, freight	2 49
The Union Leader Publishing Co., advertising for bids	40 32
Rochester Observer, advertising for bids	10 50
First National Bank, expense on bonds to Boston	3 56
F. E. Hussey, telegrams	2 80
Lincoln R. Young & Co., certification and legal expenses	85 00
Standard Oil Co., 99 gals. kerosene, 10 gals. Cylrex oil	16 19
Koppers Co., road oil	4,614 80
James McAllister, gravel	2,780 70
Harvey Warburton, 50 empty bags	1 50
Perley Currier, man and truck	1,761 05
H. M. Rowe, man and truck	1,077 46
Elbridge Gile, man and truck	1,084 35
V. E. Page, man and truck	1,251 95
Gordon H. Foss, man and truck	1,349 62
Lloyd Rowe, man and truck	397 60
J. M. Sanborn, man and truck	1,596 35
John Blaisdell, man and truck	1,812 09
Henry Morin, man and truck	783 84
Isaac LaClair, man and truck	1,513 40
Melville Ames, man and truck	1,440 75
Elmer Martel, man and truck	1,340 11
Raymond J. Merrill, man and truck	42 50
Payrolls for labor	25,640 38
Total	$52,613 51

CREDIT

Received from:	
City of Rochester, appropriation	$39,224 26
P. W. A., appropriation	13,389 25
Total	$52,613 51

CROWN POINT ROAD

Paid Prison Industries, Inc., pipe	$590 00
E. J. York, reinforcing iron	21 07
Fownes Lumber Co., cedar posts, cement and lumber	360 36
M. F. Ellis & Co., 2 doz. lanterns	21 17
Ayers & Jenkins Co., hardware	72 64
J. Herbert Seavey, dynamite and caps	16 50
Spaulding Fibre Co., galvanized sheet steel	6 40
F. L. Kendall Agency, compensation insurance	69 01
Frank Talbot, shoulder material	38 98
Joseph Pouliot, shoulder material	14 41
James McAllister, gravel	162 40
Gravel from city bank transferred to Ten Rod Road account	677 40
W. H. Howard, filing saws	75
Ernest Morin, man and truck	52 88
Holland Rowe, man and truck	84 38
J. M. Sanborn, man and truck	127 13
Perley Currier, man and truck	315 66
Elmer Martel, man and truck	426 48
Madison Gile, man and truck	249 28
V. E. Page, man and truck	264 39
Melville Ames, man and truck	297 56
John Blaisdell, man and truck	212 41
Gordon H. Foss, man and truck	230 64
Isaac LaClair, man and truck	300 37
Henry Maxfield, man and truck	347 70
City equipment and drivers transferred to Ten Rod Road account	6,397 33
Payrolls, for labor	6,368 75
Total expenditures	$17,726 05
Balance	1,273 95
Total	$19,000 00

CREDIT

Received from:

Special appropriation	$19,000 00

BRIDGE REPAIRS

Paid Frank L. Kendall Agency, compensation insurance	$36 94
Ralph E. Came, compensation insurance	66 07
Martin S. Brock, planks	14 62
Hanson Pines, planks	316 79
E. J. York, planks	747 47
Merrill's Auto Exchange, planks	117 11
Fownes Lumber Co., lumber	8 58
Studley Box and Lumber Co., planing	15 36
Payrolls, labor	714 09
Total expenditures	$2,037 03

CREDIT

Appropriation	$1,000 00
Deficit	1,037 03
Total	$2,037 03

SURFACE DRAIN DEPARTMENT

Paid Atlantic Building Supply Co., brick	$75 90
New England Brick Co., 1,000 bricks	11 50
Parry Brick Co., 2,000 bricks	18 00
Fownes Lumber Co., cement	27 20
E. J. York, cement	101 53
Johnson Foundry, supplies	97 00
Project 1765, transfer	2,000 00
Frank L. Kendall Agency, compensation insurance	20 36
Payrolls, labor	1,093 22
Total expenditures	$3,444 71

CREDIT

Appropriation	$3,000 00
Received from:	
Sale of akron pipe	5 40
Deficit	439 31
Total	$3,444 71

HEALTH

Paid C. B. Dolge, candles for fumigating	$13 20
Sedule Laboratories, Inc., 15 packages of Dipp Toxoid	9 26
Fenno W. Fifield & Co., 1,000 burial permits	5 50
F. E. Hussey, express	2 61
Ralph E. Came, compensation insurance	5 98
F. L. Keay, overseer of poor	600 00
N. K. Chesley, city physician	400 00
C. E. Goodwin, health officer	713 46
Total expenditures	$1,750 01
Balance	100 15
Total	$1,850 16

CREDIT

Appropriation	$1,850 00
Received from:	
Frank L. Kendall Agency, insurance refund	16
Total	$1,850 16

SHADE TREES, PARKS AND COMMONS

Paid The Twin State Gas and Elec. Co., lighting	$25 40
Ayers & Jenkins Co., hardware	3 98
Eugene C. Foss Co., hardware	39 97
Palmer Plumbing Supply Co., paint and supplies	12 63
Pierce-Perry Co., 2 used drinking fountains	24 00
Ralph P. Corson, sharpening mowers	2 75
James B. Callahan, labor	9 75
John D. Blaisdell, welding fountain	11 25
Studley Flower Gardens, filling urn Torr Park	4 65
James Holland, filling 3 urns Gonic Park	5 00
Boston & Maine R. R., freight	55
Fownes Lumber Co., paint	2 84
Rochester Water Works, installing fountain	130 01

Paid Highway Department, hauling brush	$15 89
E. Corey & Co., tiller, rope and clamps	17 05
Bailey Bros., plumbing	9 45
Arnold Richards, 3 metal signs	13 50
John Danais, 3 carboys chlorine	5 55
Ainslie's Drug Store, supplies for playground	3 94
Ralph E. Came, compensation insurance	38 05
Frank L. Kendall Agency, compensation insurance	3 32
Edgar Varney, Jr., care of Woodman Park	34 00
Justin H. Gear, care of Gonic Parks	72 00
Horace Mills, care of E. R. Parks	30 00
Allen G. Kidder, care of park near common	18 00
A. A. Massey, care of Torr Park	25 00
I. Belmont Allen, care of Strafford Square Park	10 00
Wilfred Frenette, care of Duval Park	10 00
Thomas J. Vachon, labor	2 00
M. H. Dustin, labor	1 60
Howard Martineau, labor	13 75
Philip Bartlett, labor	52 25
Sam Veno, labor	16 00
Charles Scott, labor	9 50
Melville Ames, hauling leaves	10 50
George Alimi, instructor at Hanson Pines	220 00
Pauline Lamontagne, instructor at Hanson Pines	180 00
Payrolls, labor	1,413 27
Total expenditures	$2,497 40
Balance	105 50
Total	$2,602 90

CREDIT

Appropriation	$2,500 00
Received from:	
Hanson Pines, hauling timbers	34 00
Rochester Water Works, refund	61 02
Frank L. Kendall Agency, insurance refund	7 88
Total	$2,602 90

DOG DEPREDATIONS DEPARTMENT

Paid School Department, dog licenses written in 1938	$1,388 59
Wheeler & Clark, dog tags	18 22
The Rochester Courier, advertising	20 30
Charles A. Jenness, refund of dog tax	2 00
The Record Press, printing	34 50
Fenno W. Fifield & Co., notices to dog owners	5 50
Erroll Hall, attorney for Martin Brock, damages	100 00
James Duffy, damages	3 25
Edward Henderson, damages	6 00
Clerk's fees, dog licenses written in 1939	139 80
Total expenditures	$1,718 16
Balance	1,382 03
Total	$3,100 19

CREDIT

Balance January 1, 1939	$1,388 59
Receipts for dog licenses written in 1939	1,711 60
Total	$3,100 19

SEWER

Paid The Twin State Gas & Elec. Co., power	$148 30
W. H. Stewart, 24 pr. couplings and sewer rods	58 88
Fownes Lumber Co., calcium chloride and lumber	5 18
E. J. York, akron pipe	612 56
Pierce-Perry Co., soil pipe	159 12
Johnson Foundry, manhole castings	30 00
Tapax Mfg. Co., manhole cushions	45 65
Scenic Theatre, second hand brick	53 00
Palmer Plumbing Supply Co., oakum	2 74
Water Department, pipe and fittings	18 05
Parker Danner Co., sundry supplies	19 25
Sanborn-McDuffee Co., supplies	52 95
E. C. Foss Co., hardware	12 59

Paid John D. Blaisdell, supplies and labor	$11 25
W. P. A. 2080, brick, cement and pipe	22 05
Special appropriation, excess	76 97
Ralph E. Came, compensation insurance	445 13
Frank E. Hussey, express paid	50
M. & E. Transportation Corp., express	3 40
Boston & Maine R. R., freight	2 52
George D. Dame, superintendent	203 84
Payrolls, labor	4,226 76
Total expenditures	$6,210 69
Balance	166 61
Total	$6,377 30

CREDIT

Appropriation	$2,500 00
Received from:	
Cleaning sewers	40 27
Sewer connections	3,597 66
W. P. A. Project 2080, 3,700 bricks	18 50
Franklin Construction Co., sewer connection	60 00
Cement sold	30
Rochester Water Works, 10 ft. pipe	6 50
W. P. A. Project 2080, materials used	59 59
Akron pipe sold	3 18
Frank L. Kendall Agency, insurance refund	91 30
Total	$6,377 30

INTEREST ACCOUNT

School alteration and equipment notes	$72 00
Public improvement notes	477 60
School house lot notes	1,120 00
Sewer construction notes	437 52
Sewer and water construction notes	270 00
Fire equipment notes	203 14
Highway construction and equipment notes	586 12
Highway construction bonds	263 55
Surface drain construction notes	50 22

Tax anticipation notes	$448 68
Transferred to W. P. A. No. 1765 as per vote of City Council	990 00
	$4,918 83
Balance	220 91
Total	$5,139 74

CREDIT

Appropriation	$4,000 00
Received from:	
Lincoln R. Young, accrued interest on Salmon Falls Road bonds	35 14
Salmon Falls construction account, interest on $22,000.00	114 60
Spaulding High School construction account	990 00
Total	$5,139 74

TAX ANTICIPATION NOTES

Notes outstanding January 1, 1939	$25,000 00

Notes Issued in 1939

No. 1337	50,000 00
No. 1339	50,000 00
No. 1342	25,000 00
No. 1343	25,000 00
Total	$175,000 00

Notes Paid in 1939

No. 1336	$25,000 00
No. 1337	50,000 00
No. 1339	50,000 00
No. 1342	25,000 00
Total	$150,000 00

Note Outstanding January 1, 1940

No. 1343	$25,000 00

NOTES

Paid in 1939:

No. 1238	$1,500 00
No. 1239	1,000 00
No. 1240	1,000 00
No. 1241	1,000 00
No. 1242	1,000 00
No. 1243	1,000 00
No. 1244	1,000 00
No. 1270	1,000 00
No. 1273	2,000 00
No. 1296	1,000 00
No. 1307	7,000 00
No. 1312	1,350 00
No. 1313	650 00
No. 1318	1,000 00
No. 1327	1,400 00
Total	$22,900 00

CREDIT

Appropriation	$22,900 00

Notes Outstanding January 1, 1940

SEWER CONSTRUCTION NOTES

No. 1333	$2,000 00
No. 1334	1,661 27
No. 1338	1,757 25
Total	$5,418 52

SEWER AND WATER CONSTRUCTION NOTES

No. 1314	$2,000 00
No. 1315	2,000 00
No. 1316	2,000 00
Total	$6,000 00

NEW HIGH SCHOOL HOUSE LOT NOTES

No. 1308	$10,000 00
No. 1309	8,000 00
No. 1310	8,000 00
Total	$26,000 00

SCHOOL ALTERATION AND EQUIPMENT NOTES

No. 1271	$1,000 00

FIRE EQUIPMENT NOTES

No. 1328	$1,400 00
No. 1329	1,400 00
No. 1330	800 00
No. 1331	600 00
No. 1332	1,400 00
No. 1363	1,029 00
Total	$6,629 00

SURFACE DRAIN CONSTRUCTION NOTES

No. 1326	$1,000 00
No. 1360	1,000 00
No. 1361	757 12
No. 1363	500 00
Total	$3,257 12

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT NOTES
(City Parking Project)

No. 1274	$2,000 00
No. 1275	2,000 00
No. 1276	2,000 00
No. 1277	2,000 00
No. 1278	2,000 00
No. 1279	1,136 20
Total	$11,136 20

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT NOTES

No. 1297	$1,000 00
No. 1298	1,000 00
No. 1299	1,000 00
No. 1300	1,000 00
No. 1301	1,000 00

No. 1302	$1,000 00
No. 1319	830 00
No. 1347	1,425 51
No. 1348	1,061 63
No. 1349	1,065 26
No. 1350	4,000 00
No. 1351	2,000 00
No. 1352	2,000 00
No. 1353	4,000 00
No. 1354	4,000 00
No. 1355	4,000 00
No. 1356	4,000 00
No. 1357	4,000 00
No. 1358	4,000 00
No. 1359	3,000 00
Total	$45,382 40

BONDS OUTSTANDING JANUARY 1, 1940
SALMON FALLS ROAD BONDS

Nos. 1 to 22 inclusive	$22,000 00

SPAULDING HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Year 1939

RECEIPTS

Balance January 1, 1939,	$107,743.93	
P. W. A. Grant,	223,515.00	
The Spaulding Fund,	33,299.24	
City of Rochester refunds,	706.41	
Refund for telephone,	1.75	
Total Receipts,		$365,266.33

DISBURSEMENTS

Preliminary:

The Union Leader Publishing Co., advertising,		$83.16

LAND AND RIGHT OF WAY

Vogel & Hadley, gravel,	$18.00	
Rochester Water Works, repairing meters,	7.90	
H. A. Allen, material and labor,	4.36	
H. M. Rowe, repairs,	4.00	
Lester G. Davis, repairs,	7.00	
The Diamond Match Co., pipe and cement,	2.51	
Fownes Lumber Co., lumber,	4.79	
Strafford York Gas Co., connection,	350.00	
W. H. Otis, labor,	12.80	
Harlan M. Bryant, engineering,	40.75	
J. M. Sanborn, loam,	18.00	
Elmer R. Martel, laying 68 yds. cement,	136.00	
Total Land and Right of Way,		$606.11

CONSTRUCTION

Rugo Construction Co., on building contract,	$206,554.95	
J. J. Callahan Cons. Co., on grading contract,	20,307.28	
Vogel & Hadley, for account of J. J. Callahan Cons. Co.,	387.52	
Total Construction Payments,		$227,249.75

MISCELLANEOUS

Charles R. Chapman, labor,	$13.01
Edouard Renaud, labor,	57.75
Harold Hanson, labor,	170.01
Harold Wentworth, labor,	44.50

Leonard Hanson, labor,	$86.75	
Donald Thomas, labor,	47.25	
Burton Bickford, labor,	47.75	
Leonard Marshall, labor,	33.50	
Bernard Corson, labor,	47.25	
Harold Lincoln, Jr., labor,	34.25	
Robert Emerson, labor,	23.50	
Robert Osgood, labor,	7.50	
Donald Corson, labor,	18.00	
Paul Nordman, labor,	3.00	
H. W. Grierson, labor,	34.93	
Robert Allen, labor,	2.00	
Robert Breton, labor,	13.75	
Leopold Renaud, labor,	16.00	
Lawrence Gaskell, labor,	2.50	
Norman Paul, labor,	7.00	
Eli Baker, labor,	9.25	
Malcolm Nealand, labor,	6.50	
F. L. Kendall Agency, insurance,	51.51	
Cook Chairs, Inc., 1 chair,	9.98	
C. L. York Co., moving equipment,	500.00	
Total Miscellaneous,		$1,287.44

ENGINEERING, PLANS, DESIGNS, ETC.

C. R. Whitcher,	$11,578.79	
Sidney N. Shurcliff,	219.45	
Strayer & Engelhardt,	905.93	
Total Engineering, Plans, Designs, Etc.,		$12,704.17

LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE

W. H. Wood, expenses,	$801.14	
George O. Peabody, expenses,	8.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	17.00	
Total Legal and Administrative,		$826.14
George O. Peabody, Clerk of Works,		$2,630.00
City of Rochester, interest,		$990.00

EQUIPMENT

West Disinfecting Co., Kotex cabinets and rubber foot baths,	$130.75	
J. L. Hammett Co.,	56,708.86	
E. Morrill Furniture Co.,	1,083.85	
Duparquet, Huot & Moneuse Co.,	6,309.20	
Wrought Iron Kitchen Equipment Co.,	4,957.39	
Maintain Store Engineering Service,	2,428.69	
Boston Blue Print Co., instruments,	57.38	
Morandi Proctor Co., Inc.,	955.00	
Lyon Metal Products, Inc., lockers,	10,772.76	
Spaulding Moss Co.,	368.37	

O. P. Killam & Co.,	$1,463.68	
Milton Bradley Co.,	2,907.63	
Singer Sewing Machine Co.,	277.54	
Gledhill Bros., Inc.,	8,627.57	
Sanborn-McDuffee Co., window shades,	1,294.55	
Total Equipment,		$98,343.22
Total Disbursements,		$344,719.99
Balance January 1, 1940,		20,546.34
Total,		$365,266.33

SUNDRY EXPENDITURES

STREET LIGHTS

Paid The Twin State Gas & Elec. Co.	$15,001 58

CREDIT

Appropriation	$15,000 00
Deficit	1 58
Total	$15,001 58

MEMORIAL AND ARMISTICE DAYS

Paid American Legion	$400 00
Veterans of Foreign Wars	100 00
Total	$500 00

CREDIT

Appropriation	$500 00

EAST ROCHESTER PUBLIC LIBRARY AND READING ROOM

Paid Treasurer	$300 00

CREDIT

Appropriation	$300 00

COUNTY OF STRAFFORD

Paid Treasurer, County of Strafford	$62,949 01

CREDIT

Appropriation	$62,949 01

PUBLIC LIBRARY AND READING ROOM

Paid Frank E. Hussey, treasurer	$8,400 00

CREDIT

Appropriation	$8,400 00

RELIEF

Paid Orders issued by Relief Office	$18,696 47
Balance	1,717 21
Total	$20,413 68

CREDIT

Appropriation	$20,000 00
Received from:	
Alonzo Bunker	5 00
Harold Stevens	46 50
William Pinfold	30 00
Ernest Minnon	1 00
Ella Landry	85
Strafford County	330 33
Total	$20,413 68

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Paid for account of beneficiaries	$17,429 42

CREDIT

Appropriation	$16,000 00
Deficit	1,429 42
Total	$17,429 42

ELECTIONS

Paid The Rochester Observer, advertising	$8 00
The Rochester Courier, advertising	5 80
The Record Press, printing ballots	39 50
Eugene C. Foss Co., hardware	1 28
Diamond Match Co., lumber	2 03
Joel W. McCrillis, chairman of supervisors	27 50
Lawrence E. Haley, supervisor Ward 1	35 00
William O. Allen, supervisor Ward 2	35 00
Downing W. Osborne, supervisor Ward 3	35 00
Alfred J. Beaudoin, supervisor Ward 4	35 00
Isaac W. Rankin, supervisor Ward 5	35 00
Willard I. Cushing, supervisor Ward 6	35 00

ELECTION PAYROLL

December 5

MODERATORS

Ward 1	Frank Cole	$6 00
2	Freeman Parshley	6 00
3	Harry Witherell	6 00

Ward 4	Maurice Gelinas	$6 00		
5	Sarah C. Horne	6 00		
6	Forrest Otis	6 00		
				$36 00

WARD CLERKS

Ward 1	Wilmer W. Hayes ...	$8 50	
2	Arthur F. Mortimer .	8 50	
3	Lillian Anctil	8 50	
4	Joseph Sylvain	8 50	
5	Maurice H. Greenfield	8 50	
6	Leroy S. Redlon	8 50	
			$51 00

SELECTMEN

Ward 1	Harvey Henderson ..	$7 50	
	Burton Spiller	5 00	
	James Garnett	2 50	
	Harry Jacobs	7 50	
2	Harold Lincoln	7 50	
	Randolph Conrad ...	7 50	
	Eugene C. Huntoon .	7 50	
3	Edward Cossette	7 50	
	Harold Vickery	7 50	
	Alice Cartier	5 00	
	Eugene Sevigny	1 25	
4	Ralph Aubin	7 50	
	Aurelle Beaudoin ...	7 50	
	Roland Perreault ...	7 50	
5	Ralph Dunlap	6 25	
	William E. Gerrish ..	7 50	
	Charles Ward	1 25	
6	George E. Greenfield .	7 50	
	Vernon Hersom	7 50	
	Robert Carr	6 25	
			$125 00

BALLOT CLERKS

Ward 1	Ernest Rolfe	$5 00
	Ernest Stevens	5 00
2	George Y. Emerson .	5 00
	Dennis Brennan	5 00
3	Ashbel Young	5 00
	Philip Laliberte	5 00
4	Roscoe Hersom	5 00
	Michel Morin	5 00

Ward 5	Vinton Preston	$5 00	
	Patrick Manion	5 00	
6	Sara Greenfield	5 00	
	Annie Quinlan	5 00	
			$60 00

BALLOT MARKERS

Ward 1	Charles Tripp	$5 00	
	Telesphore Foster ...	5 00	
2	Henry L. Osborne ...	5 00	
	James O. Watson ...	5 00	
3	Ida M. Beaulieu	5 00	
	Willie Forcier	5 00	
4	Henry Greenfield	5 00	
	Eugene Beaudoin ...	5 00	
5	Delozo Turmelle	5 00	
	Ernest Turmelle	5 00	
6	Thomas Dudley	5 00	
	Edgar Garnett	5 00	
			$60 00

Total expenditures	$626 11

CREDIT

Appropriation	$600 00
Received from:	
Frank L. Kendall Agency, insurance refund	1 74
Deficit	24 37
Total	$626 11

VITAL STATISTICS

Paid Payrolls, returns of births, marriages and deaths	$146 00

CREDIT

Appropriation	$146 00

PUBLICITY

Paid Rochester Chamber of Commerce ...	$500 00

CREDIT

Appropriation	$500 00

LEGAL ADJUSTMENTS

Balance	$100 00

CREDIT

Appropriation	$100 00

SNOW PLOW

Paid Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., snow plow	$1,000 00

CREDIT

To be paid from monies not otherwise appropriated	$1,000 00

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR HIGHWAY EQUIPMENT

Paid Mack Motor Truck Co., 1 Mack truck	$6,000 00
Murdock & Arthur, Inc., 2 Ford trucks	2,151 00
Total	$8,151 00

CREDIT

Appropriation, City of Rochester notes sold	$8,126 89
Murdock & Arthur, Inc., federal tax rebate on Ford trucks	24 11
Total	$8,151 00

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR FIRE HOSE

Paid American-LaFrance Foamite Corp., 1,000 ft. of 2½-inch hose	$1,029 00

CREDIT

Appropriation, City of Rochester Note No. 1362	$1,029 00

HANSON PINES (HURRICANE DAMAGE)

Paid John Lacasse, foreman	$263 25
E. C. Foss Co., sundry supplies	53 38
Payrolls	34 00
Raymond Andrews, hauling logs	172 55
Studley Box & Lumber Co., sawing logs	252 85
Studley Box & Lumber Co., 1½ cords stickings	2 25

Paid Willis Varney, sticking lumber	$47 50
C. W. Varney & Co., insurance	72
Total	$826 50

RECEIPTS

Received from:	
Northeastern Timber Salvage Administration, lumber	$435 50
City of Rochester, bridge plank	316 79
George D. Dame, cash for lumber	50 00
Deficit charged to Revenue Surplus (Schedule 2)	24 21
Total	$826 50

CITY PARKING PROJECT

Balance January 1, 1939	$202 94
Payments	
Rochester Water Works, installing rail bumper	70 64
Balance January 1, 1940 (Schedule 1)	$132 30

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

I submit herewith a report of the financial condition of the City of Rochester at the close of business December 31, 1939, together with supporting and supplementary statements and schedules.

The report is sub-divided into three groups, as in previous years and as a basis for convenient comparisons with past years.

Group 1 shows the General Municipal and Budget Accounts for the year, together with supplementary statement and schedules. Schedules four and five of this group show the total cash receipts and disbursements for the year, with the exception of the Trust Funds.

Group 2 shows the Report of the Trustees of the Trust Funds.

Group 3 shows the Report of the Water Works in the form prescribed by the Public Service Commission.

The Total Funded Debt of the city shows an increase during the year of $39,938.52, which is accounted for as follows:

New Obligations Issued:		
Surface Drain Construction Notes	$2,257 12	
Fire Equipment Notes	1,029 00	
Highway Equipment Notes	8,126 89	
Highway Construction Notes and Bonds	52,425 51	
		$67,838 52
Obligations Paid:		
Sewer Construction Notes	$7,500 00	
School Alteration and Equipment Notes	1,000 00	
Public Improvement Notes	2,000 00	
Sewer and Water Construction Notes	2,000 00	
(at Spaulding High School)		
School House Lot Notes	7,000 00	
Fire Equipment Notes	1,400 00	

Highway Equipment Notes	$2,000 00	
Water Construction Notes	5,000 00	
		$27,900 00
Increase in Funded Debt		$39,938 52

The Total Funded Debt as of January 1, 1940, is $193,823.24, divided as follows:

Water Debt (Payable from revenue of the Water Works)	$67,000 00
Municipal Debt (Payable from Tax Levies)	126,823 24
	$193,823 24

Based on the census of 1930, which are the latest population figures available, the per capita indebtedness is $18.98.

Respectfully submitted,

J. STACY TRIPP,
City Accountant.

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Schedule 1—General Balance Sheet

CAPITAL ASSETS

Real Estate:	
Land and Buildings	$421,111 20
Personal Property	115,616 31
B. & M. R. R. Stock	88 00
Future Taxation to Retire Municipal Funded Debt	126,823 24
Municipal Investment in Water Works	352,143 50
Trust Funds	40,996 75
	$1,056,779 00

CAPITAL LIABILITIES

Funded Debt:	
Municipal:	
Sewer Construction Notes	$5,418 52
School Alteration and Equipment Notes	1,000 00
Public Improvement Notes	11,136 20
Sewer and Water Construction Notes	6,000 00
New School House Lot Notes	26,000 00
Fire Equipment Notes	6,629 00
Highway Construction and Equipment Notes and Bonds	67,382 40
Surface Drain Construction Notes	3,257 12
Water Construction Notes	67,000 00
Trust Funds:	
Principal	40,114 37
Unexpended of Earnings	882 38
Capital Surplus	821,959 01
	$1,056,779 00

Schedule 1—General Balance Sheet

CURRENT ASSETS

Office Cash	$174 76
Bank Cash	45,930 93
Tax Sale Liens	6,348 03
Tax Deeded Property	550 36
Accounts Receivable	830 77
Taxes, 1939	56,980 74
	$110,815 59

CURRENT LIABILITIES

Tax Anticipation Notes	$25,000 00
Approved Vouchers Unpaid	3,091 10
Accrued Interest Payable	779 61
Special Fund Balances:	
Highway Construction (Route 202)	10,000 00
Parking Project	132 30
Firemen's Pension Fund	77 24
Spaulding High School Special Equipment Account	7 47
Crown Point and Ten Rod Roads	7,903 93
Opera House	453 20
Deferred Departmental Credits	828 02
Reserve for Tax Abatements, 1939 Account	5,700 19
Revenue Surplus	56,842 53
	$110,815 59

Special Fund Balance Sheet

ASSETS

Construction Cash, P. W. A. No. 1064DS, Spaulding High School	$20,546 34

LIABILITIES

Unexpended Balance	$20,546 34

Schedule 2—Analysis of Revenue Surplus

CREDITS TO SURPLUS

REVENUES

Clerk's Fees,	$1,021.59
Licenses,	810.50
Rent of Gonic Hall,	201.00
Rent of East Rochester Opera House,	52.00
Water Works, Salary Account,	600.00
Municipal Court,	1,000.00
Schools,	8,063.74
Automobile Permits, 1938-1939,	226.59
Automobile Permits, 1939-1940,	14,208.43
Interest on 1938 Taxes,	1,750.51
Interest on 1939 Taxes,	54.83
Interest on Redeemed Taxes,	317.06
Interest on Sundry Accounts,	8.70
Tax Levy, 1939,	329,603.78
Taxes 1938 Added List,	689.00
Re-imbursement for Old Age Assistance,	13,281.40
State of New Hampshire:	
Interest and Dividend Tax,	20,736.09
Insurance Tax,	119.10
Railroad Tax,	2,821.23
Savings Bank Tax,	7,980.86
Building and Loan Tax,	213.40
Abatement on State Tax,	4.50
Total Revenues,	$403,764.31

CHARGES TO SURPLUS

	Gross Charges	Credits	Net Charges
Highways,	$55,516.94	$3,170.82	$52,346.12
Schools,	122,542.14	74.02	122,468.12
Fire Dept.,	18,106.34	108.32	17,998.02
Police,	13,709.88	72.58	13,637.30
Health,	1,750.01	.16	1,749.85
Public Buildings,	8,511.15	14.43	8,496.72
Administration,	14,874.47	51.66	14,822.81
Elections,	626.11	1.74	624.37
Sewerage,	6,210.69	3,877.30	2,333.39
Surface Drains,	3,444.71	5.40	3,439.31
Sidewalk Construction,	3,904.99	2,096.90	1,808.09
Highway Equipment Notes,	2,000.00		2,000.00
Fire Equipment Notes,	1,400.00		1,400.00
School Alteration and Equipment Notes,	1,000.00		1,000.00

Public Improvement Notes,	$2,000.00		$2,000.00	
Sewer and Water Construction Notes,	2,000.00		2,000.00	
School House Lot Notes,	7,000.00		7,000.00	
Sewer Construction Notes,	7,500.00		7,500.00	
Interest,	4,918.83	$1,139.74	3,779.09	
Shade Trees and Parks,	2,497.40	102.90	2,394.50	
Street Lights,	15,001.58		15,001.58	
County Tax,	62,949.01		62,949.01	
Bridge Repairs,	2,037.03		2,037.03	
Memorial and Armistice Days,	500.00		500.00	
Publicity,	500.00		500.00	
Public Library,	8,400.00		8,400.00	
East Rochester Library,	300.00		300.00	
Relief,	18,696.47	413.68	18,282.79	
Vital Statistics,	146.00		146.00	
Old Age Assistance,	17,429.42		17,429.42	
Rubbish,	3,351.20		3,351.20	
Snow Plow,	1,000.00		1,000.00	
	$409,824.37	$11,129.65		$398,694.72
Balance (Excess of Revenues over Expenditures),				$5,069.59
Revenue Surplus January 1, 1939,				$48,258.90
Add:				
Balance on 1939 Budget (As per above analysis),			$5,069.59	
Balance on Overlay of Taxes for 1938 (Schedule 10),			4,154.01	
				$9,223.60
				$57,482.50
Deduct:				
Refunds to Spaulding High School,			$494.28	
Deficit on Hanson Pines Timber Account,			24.21	
Deficit on W. P. A. No. 1765 (Special appropriation for Surface Drains),			121.48	
				$639.97
Revenue Surplus January 1, 1940 (Schedule 1),				$56,842.53

Schedule 3—Comparative Summary of Revenues and Expenditures

REVENUES

	Estimated Revenues	Revenues Realized	Excess	Deficit
State of N. H.,	$32,000.00	$31,875.18		$124.82
Automobile Permits,	13,000.00	14,435.02	$1,435.02	
Schools,	6,000.00	8,063.74	2,063.74	
Re-imbursement for Old Age Asst.,	12,000.00	13,281.40	1,281.40	
Taxes, 1939,	329,119.01	329,603.78	484.77	
Other Income,	5,000.00	6,505.19	1,505.19	
Totals,	$397,119.01	$403,764.31	$6,770.12	$124.82

EXPENDITURES

	Appropriations and Credits	Charges	Balance	Deficit
Highways,	$54,170.82	$55,516.94		$1,346.12
Schools,	124,433.02	122,542.14	$1,890.88	
Fire Dept.,	18,108.32	18,106.34	1.98	
Police,	13,072.58	13,709.88		637.30
Health,	1,850.16	1,750.01	100.15	
Public Buildings,	8,549.43	8,511.15	38.28	
Administration,	14,651.66	14,874.47		222.81
Elections,	601.74	626.11		24.37
Sewerage,	6,377.30	6,210.69	166.61	
Surface Drains,	3,005.40	3,444.71		439.31
Sidewalk Construction,	4,096.90	3,904.99	191.91	
Debt Retirement:				
Highway Equipment Notes,	2,000.00	2,000.00		
Fire Equipment Notes,	1,400.00	1,400.00		
School Alteration Equipment Notes,	1,000.00	1,000.00		
Public Improvement Notes,	2,000.00	2,000.00		
Sewer and Water Construction Notes,	2,000.00	2,000.00		
School House Lot Notes,	7,000.00	7,000.00		
Sewer Construction Notes,	7,500.00	7,500.00		
Interest,	5,139.74	4,918.83	220.91	
Shade Trees and Parks,	2,602.90	2,497.40	105.50	

County Tax,	$62,949.01	$62,949.01		
Street Lights,	15,000.00	15,001.58		$1.58
Bridge Repairs,	1,000.00	2,037.03		1,037.03
Memorial and Armistice Days,	500.00	500.00		
Publicity,	500.00	500.00		
Public Library,	8,400.00	8,400.00		
East Rochester Library,	300.00	300.00		
Vital Statistics,	146.00	146.00		
Legal Adjustments,	100.00		$100.00	
Relief,	20,413.68	18,696.47	1,717.21	
Old Age Assistance,	16,000.00	17,429.42		1,429.42
Rubbish,	3,380.00	3,351.20	28.80	
Snow Plow,		1,000.00		1,000.00
	$408,248.66	$409,824.37	$4,562.23	$6,137.94

Excess of Revenues over Estimates,	$6,645.30
Excess of Expenditures over Appropriations,	1,575.71
Balance on 1939 Budget (Schedule 2),	$5,069.59

Schedule 4—Statement of Cash Receipts

REVENUE CREDITS

Clerk's Fees,	$1,021.59	
Interest on Redeemed Taxes,	317.06	
Rent of Gonic Hall,	201.00	
Salary,	600.00	
Interest on 1938 Taxes,	1,750.51	
Interest on 1939 Taxes,	54.83	
Interest on Sundry Accounts,	8.70	
Licenses,	810.50	
Schools,	8,063.74	
State of N. H.,	31,875.18	
Municipal Court,	1,000.00	
Automobile Permits, 1938-1939,	229.47	
Automobile Permits, 1939-1940,	14,239.68	
Rent of East Rochester Opera House,	52.00	
Re-imbursement for Old Age Assistance,	209.33	
Total Revenue Credits,		$60,433.59

DEPARTMENTAL CREDITS

Highways:		
Pay Roll,	$1,732.01	
Gas and Oil,	177.89	
Repairs,	678.34	
Road Materials,	326.59	
General,	255.99	
Sewerage,	3,884.50	
Sidewalks,	2,014.79	
Schools,	74.02	
Shade Trees and Parks,	102.90	
Elections,	1.74	
Administration,	51.66	
Fire,	108.32	
Surface Drains,	5.40	
Police,	72.58	
Health,	.16	
Public Buildings,	14.43	
Relief,	413.68	
Interest,	1,139.74	
Total Departmental Credits,		$11,054.74
Water Receipts,		$43,302.51
Dog Depredations,		$1,711.60
Tax Collections:		
1938 Taxes,	$45,551.19	
1939 Taxes,	278,323.23	
Redeemed Taxes,	3,101.13	
Tax Deeded Property,	82.92	
Total Tax Collections,		$327,058.47

Non-Revenue Receipts:			
Tax Anticipation Notes,		$150,000.00	
Highway Construction and Equipment Notes and Bonds,		59,241.89	
P. W. A. No. 1117F (Final payment on grant for Salmon Falls Road),		8,795.75	
W. P. A. No. 1765 (Transferred from 1939 Budget),		2,000.00	
Surface Drain Construction Notes,		2,257.12	
Fire Equipment Notes,		1,029.00	
Rebate of Federal Tax on Ford Trucks,		24.11	
W. P. A., No. 1765,		6.50	
Demolition of Old High School,		709.87	
W. P. A., No. 2080,		35.87	
Hanson Pines (Timber Account),		802.29	
Firemen's Pension Fund,		229.68	
Spaulding High School Special Equipment Account,		13,872.98	
Insurance, Salmon Falls Road,		478.71	
Special Appropriation for Sewer Construction (Deficit transferred from Budget),		76.97	
Refund for Overpayment,		2.00	
Ten Rod Road (Transferred from Crown Point Road, for Gravel and Use of Equipment),		6,629.98	
Surface Drain Construction at Spaulding High School,		1,018.75	
Rent of Opera House,		897.27	
Total Non-Revenue Receipts,			$248,108.74
Construction Accounts:			
P. W. A. No. 1064 DS,		$257,524.12	
P. W. A. No. 1117F,		47,613.51	
Total Construction Receipts,			$305,137.63
Total Cash Receipts,			$996,807.28
Cash on hand January 1, 1939:			
Office:			
Municipal,	$122.09		
Water,	68.55		
		$190.64	
Bank:			
Municipal,	$29,593.65		
Water,	4,245.31		
Spaulding High School Account,	107,743.93		

Salmon Falls Road Account,	$1,339.61		
Dog Depredations,	1,388.59		
		$144,311.09	
			$144,501.73
Total,			$1,141,309.01

Schedule 5—Statement of Cash Disbursements

Highways:		
Pay Rolls,	$27,702.55	
Salary,	1,528.84	
Road Materials,	10,339.91	
Gas and Oil,	5,052.68	
Repairs,	6,646.81	
Culverts,	529.68	
Salmon Falls Road,	2,000.00	
Power and Light,	186.44	
Fuel,	309.88	
Insurance,	961.92	
Telephones,	284.94	
Bridge Repairs,	2,037.03	
Surface Drains,	3,410.21	
Sidewalk Construction,	3,907.49	
Sundry,	113.56	
		$65,011.94
Schools:		
Administration,	$1,697.61	
Instruction,	85,562.20	
Operation and Maintenance,	14,466.09	
Equipment and Other Charges,	8,673.62	
Auxiliary Agencies,	12,142.62	
		122,542.14
Fire Department:		
Pay Rolls,	15,399.48	
Other Maintenance,	2,768.18	
		18,167.66
Police:		
Pay Rolls,	11,861.15	
Other Maintenance,	1,713.10	
		13,574.25
Health:		
Pay Rolls,	1,713.46	
General,	36.55	
		1,750.01
Public Buildings:		
Janitors,	2,460.37	
Fuel,	2,419.66	
Light,	401.19	
Insurance,	1,702.99	
Public Library,	565.00	
Gonic Hall,	312.12	
Sundry,	694.83	
		8,556.16

Administration:			
Salaries,	$11,224.54		
General,	3,447.00		
		$14,671.54	
Elections,		623.51	
Sewerage,		6,245.73	
Debt Retirement:			
Highway Equipment Notes,	2,000.00		
Fire Equipment Notes,	1,400.00		
School Alteration and Equipment Notes,	1,000.00		
Public Improvement Notes,	2,000.00		
Sewer and Water Construction Notes,	2,000.00		
School House Lot Notes,	7,000.00		
Sewer Construction Notes,	7,500.00		
		22,900.00	
Interest:			
Tax Anticipation Notes,	448.68		
School Alteration and Equipment Notes,	60.00		
Surface Drain Construction Notes,	15.00		
Sewer Construction Notes,	425.06		
School House Lot Notes,	990.00		
Public Improvement Notes,	394.08		
Equipment Notes,	543.90		
Salmon Falls Road Bonds,	137.50		
Sewer and Water Construction Notes,	240.00		
Transferred to W. P. A. No. 1765 as per vote of the Council,	990.00		
		4,244.22	
Shade Trees and Parks,		2,496.40	
Street Lights,		15,001.58	
Memorial and Armistice Days:			
American Legion,	400.00		
Veterans Foreign Wars,	100.00		
		500.00	
Publicity,		500.00	
Public Library,		8,400.00	
East Rochester Library,		300.00	
Vital Statistics,		146.00	
County Tax,		62,949.01	
Relief,		18,861.23	
Old Age Assistance,		4,344.98	
Rubbish,		3,351.20	
Total Departmental Disbursements,			$395,137.56
Water Works,			41,033.46
Dog Depredations,			1,718.16

Non-Revenue Disbursements:			
Tax Anticipation Notes,		$150,000.00	
Demolition of Old High School,		709.87	
Equipment Bought,		9,180.00	
Refund to Spaulding High School,		494.28	
Parking Property,		70.64	
W. P. A. No. 1765,		4,796.86	
W. P. A. No. 2080,		1,531.56	
Hanson Pines,		561.15	
Firemen's Pension Fund,		152.44	
Spaulding High School Special Equipment Account,		13,868.26	
Crown Point Road,		17,726.05	
Auto Permits Refunded,		34.13	
Refund for Overpayments,		10.64	
Advances to Salmon Falls Account,		30,910.75	
Taxes Bought,		4,046.58	
Insurance P. W. A. No. 1117F,		478.71	
Opera House,		556.13	
Total Non-Revenue Disbursements,			$235,128.05
Construction Accounts:			
P. W. A. No. 1064 DS,		344,721.69	
P. W. A. No. 1117F,		48,953.12	
Total Construction Disbursements,			393,674.81
Total Cash Disbursements,			$1,066,692.04
Cash on hand December 31, 1939:			
Office:			
Municipal,	$174.76		
Water,	103.38		
		278.14	
Bank:			
Municipal,	45,930.93		
Water,	6,479.53		
Spaulding High School Account,	20,546.34		
Dog Depredations,	1,382.03		
		74,338.83	
			$74,616.97
Total,			$1,141,309.01

Schedule 6—Real Estate and Personal Property

Classification	Real Estate	Personal Property	Total
City Hall and Furniture,	$100,000.00	$4,243.56	$104,243.56
Fire Stations:			
Central Station,	20,000.00	34,500.00	54,500.00
Cocheco Station,	2,000.00	30.00	2,030.00
Torrent Station,	1,500.00	30.00	1,530.00
East Rochester Station,	6,000.00	2,500.00	8,500.00
Tiger Engine House,	4,000.00	3,500.00	7,500.00
Fire Hose,		5,000.00	5,000.00
Fire Alarm System,		8,000.00	8,000.00
Public Library,	32,500.00	3,600.00	36,100.00
Hot Top Plant,	500.00	2,500.00	3,000.00
Stables and Garages in rear of City Buildings,	2,500.00	44,457.75	46,957.75
Schools:			
Maple Street Building,	70,000.00	1,800.00	71,800.00
Allen School Building,	25,000.00	1,300.00	26,300.00
School Street Building,	20,000.00	1,355.00	21,355.00
Gonic School Building,	20,000.00	1,400.00	21,400.00
East Rochester Building,	12,000.00	1,400.00	13,400.00
Ward House, Linden Street,	900.00		900.00
School Lot, Wakefield Street,	6,000.00		6,000.00
Bonney Lot, Farmington Road,	500.00		500.00
City Lot, Farmington Road,	325.00		325.00
McDuffee Lot, Farmington Road,	75.00		75.00
Gravel Pit, Charles Street,	775.00		775.00
Hanson Lot, Salmon Falls Road,	200.00		200.00
Parks:			
Central Square,	1,000.00		1,000.00
The Common,	20,000.00		20,000.00
Woodman Square,	3,000.00		3,000.00
Liberty Square,	100.00		100.00
South Main Street (at Winter),	100.00		100.00
Duval Park,	100.00		100.00
Strafford Square,	100.00		100.00

Torr Park,	$100.00		$100.00
Snow, Intervale,	1,000.00		1,000.00
Dominicus Hanson Park,	50,000.00		50,000.00
Joseph Hanson Carnival Grounds,	5,000.00		5,000.00
South Main Street (at Common),	100.00		100.00
Rochester Hill (at Whitehall Swamp Road),	100.00		100.00
City Parking Property, Factory Court,	15,136.20		15,136.20
East Rochester:			
Richard's Park,	100.00		100.00
Harrington Square,	100.00		100.00
Gonic:			
Union Park,	200.00		200.00
Stephen Meader Park,	100.00		100.00
Schedule 1,	$421,111.20	$115,616.31	$536,727.51

The Spaulding High School will be included when the accounts are finally closed.

Schedule 7—Statement of Funded Debt

Year of Retirement	Water Construction Notes	Sewer Construction Notes	School Alteration and Equipment Notes	Public Improvement Notes	Sewer and Water Construction Notes	New School House Lot Notes	Fire Equipment Notes	Surface Drain Construction Notes	Highway Const. and Equipment Notes and Bonds	Total
1940	$5,000.00	$3,757.25	$1,000.00	$2,000.00	$2,000.00	$10,000.00	$1,400.00	$1,000.00	$7,830.00	$33,987.25
1941	6,000.00	1,661.27		2,000.00	2,000.00	8,000.00	2,429.00	500.00	10,552.40	33,142.67
1942	6,000.00			2,000.00	2,000.00	8,000.00	1,400.00		10,000.00	29,400.00
1943	6,000.00			2,000.00			1,400.00		10,000.00	19,400.00
1944	6,000.00			2,000.00					5,000.00	13,000.00
1945	5,000.00			1,136.20					5,000.00	11,136.20
1946	5,000.00								4,000.00	9,000.00
1947	5,000.00								4,000.00	9,000.00
1948	5,000.00								4,000.00	9,000.00
1949	4,000.00								4,000.00	8,000.00
1950	4,000.00							1,000.00	3,000.00	8,000.00
1951	4,000.00							757.12		4,757.12
1952	4,000.00									4,000.00
1953	2,000.00									2,000.00
Totals,	$67,000.00	$5,418.52	$1,000.00	$11,136.20	$6,000.00	$26,000.00	$6,629.00	$3,257.12	$67,382.40	$193,823.24

Schedule 8—Statement of Tax Sale Liens and Tax Title Accounts

Balance January 1, 1939:		
Tax Liens,	$6,183.31	
Tax Deeded Property,	313.87	
		$6,497.18
Tax Liens and Tax Title Purchases,		4,046.58
		$10,543.76
Redemptions by Cash,	$3,184.05	
Abatements by the Board of Assessors,	461.32	
		3,645.37
Balance January 1, 1940:		
Tax Liens,	$6,348.03	
Tax Deeded Property,	550.36	
Schedule 1,		$6,898.39

Schedule 9—Statement of Tax Anticipation Borrowing

Date	Amount	To Whom Sold	Discount Rate	Due Date
1939				1939
Jan. 6	$50,000.00	Lincoln R. Young & Co., Hartford, Conn.	.35	Dec. 15
Jan. 6	50,000.00	Lincoln R. Young & Co.,	.35	Dec. 30
June 9	25,000.00	Lincoln R. Young & Co.,	.35	Dec. 30
				1940
June 9	25,000.00	Lincoln R. Young & Co.,	.35	Feb. 1

Schedule 10—Statement of Overlay of Taxes (1938 Account)

	Debit	Credit
Overlay (as per Commitment),		$7,975.79
Property Tax Abatements,	$1,548.46	
Poll Tax Abatements,	1,812.00	
Tax Equity Account Abatements,	461.32	
Balance (Schedule 2),	4,154.01	
	$7,975.79	$7,975.79

Schedule 11—Cost of Sewer Construction—W. P. A. No. 2080

Street	Pipe Laid Length	Pipe Laid Size	Cost of Construction Materials	Cost of Construction Labor	Total Cost
Lois	600′	6″	$152.41	$1,170.15	$1,322.56
Wallace	650′	6″	190.50	1,816.57	2,007.07
Willey	447′	6″	133.91	1,153.37	1,287.28
Spring, East Rochester	450¾′	10″	203.57	1,411.09	1,614.66
Total	2147¾′		$680.39	$5,551.18	$6,231.57

Equals .4068 Miles.

Paid by City of Rochester,	$1,834.22
Paid by N. H. W. P. A.,	4,397.35
Total Cost,	$6,231.57

Schedule 12—Cost of Surface Drain Construction—W. P. A. No. 1765

Street	Pipe Laid Length	Pipe Laid Size	Cost of Construction Materials	Cost of Construction Labor	Total Cost
North Main	592′	18″	$589.56	$1,881.68	$2,471.24
Hoover	500′	12″			
	107′	6″	396.19	784.67	1,180.86
Haig	400′	12″			
	72′	6″	305.70	834.34	1,140.04
Maple	1404′	12″			
	171′	6″	1,012.31	2,353.58	3,365.89
Whitehouse	725′	12″	639.06	1,108.91	1,747.97
Harvard	500′	12″			
	107′	6″	396.17	808.48	1,204.65
Yale	450′	12″			
	97′	6″	351.28	797.32	1,148.60
Brochu Court	225′	12″			
	167′	6″	240.50	639.00	879.50
	5517′		$3,930.77	$9,207.98	$13,138.75

Equals 1.045 Miles.

Paid by City of Rochester,	$5,051.36
Paid by N. H. W. P. A.,	8,087.39
	$13,138.75

Schedule 13—Statement of Comparative Revenues

	1939	1938	1937
State of New Hampshire:			
Interest and Dividend Tax,	$20,736.09	$31,696.14	$33,244.37
Insurance Tax,	119.10	116.70	130.20
Railroad Tax,	2,821.23	3,148.85	3,785.66
Savings Bank Tax,	7,980.86	10,324.98	11,847.66
Building and Loan Tax,	213.40		
Abatement on State Tax,	4.50		8.69
Automobile Permits,	14,435.02	13,135.84	14,736.31
Schools,	8,063.74	7,900.39	6,579.06
Taxes,	329,603.78	308,786.75	298,660.46
Re-imbursement for Relief,		2,113.88	1,966.82
Re-imbursement for Old Age Assistance,	13,281.40	10,904.30	7,960.65
Other Income:			
Clerk's Fees,	1,021.59	951.76	1,102.20
Interest,	2,131.10	2,331.50	3,735.04
Rent of Gonic Hall,	201.00	130.00	345.75
Salary (from Water Works),	600.00	600.00	600.00
Licenses,	810.50	833.67	759.00
Candidates' Fees,		27.00	
Municipal Court,	1,000.00	1,000.00	2,400.00
Taxes (Added Lists),	689.00	474.90	256.00
Rent of East Rochester Opera House,	52.00	17.00	23.00
Profit from Relief Wood Account,			13.00
Sale of Capital Assets,		300.00	
Miscellaneous,		67.68	497.20
Totals,	$403,764.31	$394,861.34	$388,651.07

Schedule 14—Statement of Comparative Appropriation Charges (Net)

	1939	1938	1937
Highways:			
Pay Rolls,	$25,399.95	$27,266.92	$24,540.79
Salary,	1,528.84	1,500.00	1,471.16
Road Materials,	10,013.32	6,167.27	5,499.54
Gas and Oil,	5,072.69	4,164.66	3,339.64
Repairs,	6,196.32	5,080.84	3,999.73
Repairs to Hot Top Plant,		1,546.14	
Culverts,	529.68	494.73	296.59
Equipment,	1,000.00	211.75	
Power and Light,	171.76	169.02	137.73
Fuel,	309.88	133.45	196.73
Insurance,	870.76	383.94	505.73
Bridge Repairs,	2,037.03	1,015.30	1,563.91
Surface Drains,	3,439.31	2,001.17	919.28
Sidewalk Construction,	1,808.09	325.25	633.36
Salmon Falls Road,	2,000.00	5,000.00	6,000.00
Telephones,	129.46	134.24	
Sundry Expenses,	123.46	241.45	118.60
Rubbish,	3,351.20	3,082.44	3,009.80
Schools,	122,468.12	110,003.20	108,179.63
Fire Department,	17,998.02	18,818.54	18,719.19
Police,	13,637.30	12,009.86	11,948.65
Health,	1,749.85	1,790.29	1,903.17
Public Buildings:			
Janitors,	2,460.37	2,420.00	2,420.00
Fuel,	2,419.66	1,736.65	2,373.01
Insurance,	1,702.99	1,624.53	1,743.57
Lighting,	401.19	529.64	594.56
Public Library,	565.00		
Gonic Hall,	312.12		
Sundry,	635.39	455.76	663.84
Administration:			
Salaries,	11,224.54	10,850.00	10,850.00
General,	3,598.27	3,406.07	2,719.98
State Aid Construction,		3,727.55	1,345.83
Elections,	624.37	2,047.38	1,031.40
Sewerage,	2,333.39	1,651.03	2,494.18
Debt Retirement,	22,900.00	20,500.00	21,500.00
Interest,	3,779.09	3,616.12	2,515.69
Shade Trees and Parks,	2,394.50	2,202.43	1,565.56

Street Lights,	$15,001.58	$13,941.62	$14,092.28
County Tax,	62,949.01	51,404.75	43,754.51
State Tax,		23,472.00	31,296.00
Memorial and Armistice Days,	500.00	500.00	500.00
Publicity,	500.00	500.00	500.00
Public Library,	8,400.00	7,600.00	7,500.00
East Rochester Library,	300.00	300.00	300.00
Legal Adjustments,		15.80	87.60
Relief,	18,282.79	19,232.03	17,458.21
Vital Statistics,	146.00	145.00	142.75
Old Age Assistance,	17,429.42	14,539.53	13,741.33
Tornado Expense,		2,525.27	
Totals,	$398,694.72	$390,483.62	$374,178.53

Schedule 15—Statement of Special Appropriations for Sewer Construction

	Debit	Credit
Balance unexpended January 1, 1939,		$1,418.72
Sewer Construction on Lois, Wallace and Willey Streets and on Spring Street, East Rochester (Schedule 11),	$1,834.22	
Less Construction in process, January 1, 1938 (Schedule 15 of 1938 Report,	338.53	
	$1,495.69	
Deficit (Transferred from Sewer Appropriation for 1939),		76.97
	$1,495.69	$1,495.69

Schedule 16—Special Appropriation for Surface Drain Construction

	Debit	Credit
Balance unexpended January 1, 1939,		$411.76
Transferred from Surface Drain Appropriation for 1939,		2,000.00
Surface Drain Construction Notes Sold,		2,257.12
Materials used from City Stock,		261.00
Construction (North Main, Hoover, Haig, Maple, Whitehouse, Harvard, Yale Streets and Brochu Court) (Schedule 12),	$5,051.36	
Deficit (Charged to Revenue Surplus),		121.48
	$5,051.36	$5,051.36

Schedule 17—Statement of Spaulding High School Account

RECEIPTS

Balance January 1, 1939,	$107,743.93	
Received:		
P. W. A. Grant,	223,515.00	
The Spaulding Fund,	33,299.24	
City of Rochester,	706.41	
Refunds for amounts paid in error in 1938:		
William York, Refund for Telephone,	1.75	
Total Receipts,		$365,266.33

DISBURSEMENTS

Preliminary,	$83.16	
Land and Right of Way,	606.11	
Construction,	206,554.95	
Equipment,	98,343.22	
Grading,	20,694.80	
Engineering,	12,704.17	
Clerk of Works,	2,630.00	
Legal and Administrative,	826.14	
Interest,	990.00	
Miscellaneous,	1,287.44	
Total Disbursements,		344,719.99
Balance (Schedule 1),		$20,546.34

Schedule 18—Municipal Net Indebtedness

Exclusive of Water Debt, which is self-liquidating from Revenue of the Water Works

LIABILITIES

Sewer Construction Notes,	$5,418.52	
School Alteration and Equipment Notes,	1,000.00	
Public Improvement Notes (For City Parking Property),	11,136.20	
Sewer and Water Construction Notes (At Spaulding High School),	6,000.00	
School House Lot Notes,	26,000.00	
Fire Equipment Notes,	6,629.00	
Highway Construction and Equipment Notes and Bonds,	67,382.40	
Surface Drain Construction Notes,	3,257.12	
Tax Anticipation Notes,	25,000.00	
Accrued Obligations,	3,870.71	
Deferred Credits,	828.02	
Special Fund Balances,	18,574.14	
Reserves,	5,700.19	
		$180,796.30

ASSETS

Cash,	$46,105.69	
Tax Liens and Tax Deeded Property,	6,898.39	
Accounts Receivable,	830.77	
Due on 1939 Tax Levy,	56,980.74	
		$110,815.59
Net Indebtedness (Exclusive of Water Debt),		$69,980.71

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER TRUST FUNDS

YEAR 1939

Trust Funds, Principal	Exhibit 1
Contributions to Old Cemetery Conservation Fund, Perpetua	Exhibit 2
Analysis of Earnings	Exhibit 3
Investments	Exhibit 4

TRUST FUNDS, PRINCIPAL, EXHIBIT 1

Name	Purpose	Amount
Adams Fund	Income to be paid to poor widows, orphans and maiden ladies	$12,800.00
Abbott Cemetery Fund	Income to be expended in caring for the family burial lot of Priscilla J. Abbott in the Rochester Cemetery	300.00
Dore Cemetery Fund	Income to be used for the care of the burial lot of Annie B. Dore; said lot is located on her homestead farm in Rochester	400.00
Estes Cemetery Fund	Income to be used for the perpetual care of the burial lot of Elizabeth C. Estes in the Rochester Cemetery	200.00
Haven Hill Cemetery Fund	Income to be used to repair and keep in repair and good condition the Haven Hill Cemetery on Rochester Hill	3,000.00
Morrill Cemetery Fund	Income to be used for the perpetual care of the Lizzie B. Morrill Lot on Cypress Avenue in Rochester Cemetery, lot number 361	100.00
Moore Cemetery Fund	Interest to be expended annually for the care of John E. Moore's Lot and James L. Allen's Lot in Gonic Cemetery; and the balance of said income to be used for the care of the graves of soldiers who served in the War of the Rebellion in 1861 and are buried in said cemetery	200.00
Wingate Cemetery Fund	Income to be used for the purpose of keeping in good repair and condition the Wingate Family Burying Ground, which is located across the road	

Name	Purpose	Amount
	from the Wingate Homestead on the Salmon Falls Road in Rochester	$200.00
Boothby Cemetery Fund	Income to be paid to the Rochester Cemetery Association for the perpetual care of the Kate M. Boothby Lot on the north side of the cemetery, on Avenues North, Locust and Myrtle	100.00
Brown Cemetery Fund	Interest to be used for the perpetual care of the Jenness Burial Ground, located on the Sheepborough Road, so called, above Meaderboro	200.00
Torr Cemetery Fund	Income to be used for the care of the Torr Family Burying Ground, located on Torr Farm on the Chestnut Hill Road	100.00
Ephraim O. Hammett Fund	Income to be used for the perpetual care of the Hammett Lot in the Old Cemetery	200.00
Ephraim O. Hammett Fund	Income to be used for the perpetual care of the Hammett Lot in the Haven Hill Cemetery ..	50.00
Ephraim O. Hammett Fund	Income to be used for the perpetual care of the John Clark Lot in the Old Cemetery	25.00
Willand Cemetery Fund	Income to be expended in caring for and beautifying the Willand Cemetery, so called, on the Willand Farm near Chestnut Hill in Rochester	200.00
Old Cemetery Conservation Fund, Perpetua	Income to be used on the Old Cemetery in accordance with the provisions of the instrument creating the Old Cemetery Conservation Fund, Per-	

Name	Purpose	Amount
	petua. The original instrument is on file with the City Clerk	$6,639.37
Old Cemetery Specific Emergency Fund	Created from the income of the Old Cemetery Conservation Fund, Perpetua, and is to be expended when needed as specified in the original instrument of the Old Cemetery Conservation Fund, Perpetua	284.97
Old Cemetery General Emergency Fund	Created from the income of the Old Cemetery Conservation Fund, Perpetua, and is used as specified in the original instrument	4.93
Old Town Farm Cemetery Fund	Created from monies received from the sale of lots on the Old Town Farm Cemetery, and both principal and interest can be used	110.10
John McDuffee Fund	Income to be expended in the purchase of books for the Public Library. These books are to be kept in a separate alcove or alcoves in the library building, and to be known as the John McDuffee Annex, and said annex to be labeled "John McDuffee Annex"	5,000.00
Samuel D. Felker Fund	Income to be used in the purchase of books on History, Civics, Religion and Science for the Public Library	5,000.00
Charles and Aroline B. Greenfield Fund	Income to be used for the Public Library, for general purposes	5,000.00
Total,		$40,114.37

TRUST FUNDS, EXHIBIT 2

Contributors to the Old Cemetery Conservation Fund, Perpetua

Date of Contribution	Contributor	Lot	Amount
Apr. 26, 1890	Charles A. C. Hanson	Cemetery at Large,	$51.00
Apr. 26, 1890	Noah Tebbetts	Noah Tebbetts,	250.00
Apr. 30, 1890	Charles B. Tebbetts	Noah Tebbetts,	350.00
Apr. 26, 1890	John McDuffee	Farrington & McDuffee,	600.00
Apr. 26, 1890	Dominicus Hanson	Joseph and Dominicus Hanson,	700.00
Apr. 26, 1890	George E. Barnard	Richardson & Barnard,	250.00
Apr. 28, 1891	Caroline M. and Anna S. Barker	Benjamin and George Barker,	50.00
Apr. 28, 1891	Caroline and Anna Barker	David Barker,	50.00
Apr. 28, 1890	Caroline and Anna Barker	Chapman,	50.00
Apr. 28, 1890	Caroline and Anna Barker	March,	50.00
Apr. 28, 1890	Abbie Dennett	Charles Dennett,	100.00
Apr. 28, 1890	Mariah W. Rogers	Jeremiah H. Woodman,	50.00
Apr. 30, 1890	Charles B. Tebbetts	Jeremiah H. Woodman,	400.00
May 13, 1890	Sarah Woodman Bradford	Jeremiah H. Woodman,	50.00
Apr. 29, 1890	John H. Wardwell	Hateville Knight,	50.00
Apr. 29, 1890	Ephraim Hammett	Ephraim Hammett,	100.00
Apr. 30, 1890	Harriet C. Manson	William Chase,	100.00
Apr. 30, 1890	Mary Ann Whitehouse	Enoch Whitehouse,	500.00
Apr. 30, 1890	Charles U. Bell	Nathaniel Upham,	165.00
May 23, 1890	Charles U. Bell	Nathaniel Upham,	108.37
May 1, 1890	Clara Warren	Joseph Warren and George Robinson,	50.00
May 1, 1890	Mary F. Robinson	Joseph Warren and George Robinson,	50.00
May 1, 1890	Mary T. Secomb	Moses Hale,	500.00
May 1, 1890	David Hayes	David Hayes,	200.00
Jan. 1892	Seth Hurd	Enoch P. Hurd,	100.00
Feb. 28, 1902	George Corson	George Corson,	150.00
June 3, 1904	Mary F. McDuffee	John Hayes and Mehitable Whitehouse,	200.00
Oct. 17, 1910	Mary E. Lary	Moses C. Doe,	125.00
Feb. 1, 1911	Lucy E. Jordan	Crawford, Osgood and Jordan,	200.00
	Charles U. Bell and F. W. Upham		50.00
	Mary U. Doe		50.00
	Joseph B. Upham		50.00
	Charles U. Bell		10.00
	Nathaniel Upham		5.00
Mar. 24, 1920	Elijah E. Roberts	Roberts,	75.00
Sept. 15, 1920	John W. Horne et als., heirs of George W. Pendexter	George W. Pendexter,	100.00
Mar. 12, 1926	Alonzo G. Hayes	David Hayes,	500.00
Dec. 30, 1938	J. Henry Willey	Moses Willey,	200.00
Total,			$6,639.37

TRUST FUNDS, ANALYSIS OF EARNINGS, EXHIBIT 3

Fund	Unexp. Income Jan. 1, 1939	Income	Expended	Unexp. Income Jan. 1, 1940
Adams Fund	$301.81	$257.28	$270.00	$289.09
Abbott Cemetery Fund		6.03	6.03	
Dore Cemetery Fund		8.04	8.04	
Estes Cemetery Fund		4.02	4.02	
Haven Hill Cemetery Fund		60.30	60.30	
Morrill Cemetery Fund		2.01	2.01	
Moore Cemetery Fund		4.02	4.02	
Wingate Cemetery Fund		4.02	4.02	
Boothby Cemetery Fund		2.01	2.01	
Brown Cemetery Fund	5.04	4.02	4.02	5.04
Torr Cemetery Fund	3.29	2.01	2.01	3.29
Hammett Cemetery Funds	479.88	5.52	5.52	479.88
Willand Cemetery Funds	103.06	4.02	2.00	105.08
Old Cemetery Conservation Fund, Perpetua		133.11	133.11	
John McDuffee Fund		100.50	100.50	
Samuel D. Felker Fund		100.50	100.50	
Charles and Aroline B. Greenfield Fund		100.50	100.50	
Totals	$893.08	$797.91	$808.61	$882.38

Special Funds:				
Old Town Farm Cemetery Fund (Both Principal and Income can be used)	$104.97	$5.13		$110.10
Old Cemetery Specific Emergency Fund (Created from Income of Old Cemetery Fund)	263.15	21.82		284.97
Old Cemetery General Emergency Fund (Created from Income of Old Cemetery Fund)	4.93			4.93
Totals	$373.05	$26.95		$400.00

TRUST FUNDS, INVESTMENTS, EXHIBIT 4

Principal of all Funds invested in the Rochester Trust Company	$40,114.37
Unexpended Income invested in the First National Bank of Rochester, N. H.	882.38
Total value of Trust Funds under the control of the Trustees of the City of Rochester Trust Funds	$40,996.75

REPORT OF THE ROCHESTER WATER WORKS

For the Year Ending December 31, 1939

In accordance with the requirements of the Public Service Commission of the State of New Hampshire, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1, Chapter 135 of the Laws of 1935.

Exhibit 1—Comparative Balance Sheets.

Exhibit 2—Statement of Operations.

EXHIBIT 1—COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS

ASSETS

	1940	1939	Increase or *Decrease
PLANT ASSETS			
Land,	$15,708.50	$15,708.50	
Structures,	7,318.86	7,318.86	
Water Supply Equipment,	58,555.87	58,555.87	
Pumping Station Equipment,	2,496.74	2,502.64	*$5.90
Transmission Mains,	115,073.39	115,073.39	
Water Storage Equipment,	16,488.13	16,488.13	
Distribution Mains,	298,410.71	285,044.49	13,366.22
Services,	51,131.68	47,243.18	3,888.50
Hydrants,	27,640.56	26,973.85	666.71
Meters,	32,000.18	30,886.93	1,113.25
Shop and Garage Equipment,	14,151.74	14,151.74	
Office Equipment,	389.20	389.20	
Unfinished Construction,		2,627.89	*2,627.89
Total Plant Assets,	$639,365.56	$622,964.67	$16,400.89
CURRENT ASSETS			
Office Cash,	$103.38	$68.55	$34.83
Bank Cash,	6,479.53	4,245.31	2,234.22
Accounts Receivable, Water,	1,122.85	1,632.59	*509.74
Accounts Receivable, Other,	1,763.08	1,977.97	*214.89
Materials and Supplies,	4,703.10	4,946.37	*243.27
Total Current Assets,	$14,171.94	$12,870.79	$1,301.15

PREPAID ACCOUNTS			
Insurance,	$132.43	$195.89	*$63.46
Taxes,	63.84	65.35	*1.51
Total Prepaid Accounts,	$196.27	$261.24	*$64.97
Total Assets,	$653,733.77	$636,096.70	$17,637.07

LIABILITIES

CAPITAL LIABILITIES			
Municipal Investment,	$352,143.50	$349,718.11	$2,425.39
Water Construction Notes,	67,000.00	68,000.00	*1,000.00
Total Capital Liabilities,	$419,143.50	$417,718.11	$1,425.39
Contributions in Aid of Construction,	$16,641.29	$13,434.89	$3,206.40
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Accounts Payable,	$195.47	$485.00	*$289.53
ACCRUED LIABILITIES			
Interest Accrued,	$147.50	$100.00	$47.50
RESERVES			
Depreciation,	$206,216.09	$197,409.47	$8,806.62
Special Appropriation,		$2,627.89	*$2,627.89
Total Reserves,	$206,216.09	$200,037.36	$6,178.73
Profit and Loss,	$11,389.92	$4,321.34	$7,068.58
Total Liabilities,	$653,733.77	$636,096.70	$17,637.07

* Red.

EXHIBIT 2—STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

REVENUES			
Commercial Sales,		$28,731.06	
Industrial Sales,		3,699.52	
Hydrant Rentals,		180.00	
Merchandise Sales and Job Work, Net,		1,462.65	
Other Revenue,		43.04	
Total Revenues,			$34,116.27
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Water Supply Expenses			
Superintendence,	$200.00		
Water Supply Labor,	2,475.51		
Pumping Station Labor,	120.00		
Miscellaneous Labor,	4.50		
Pumping Station Supplies and Expenses,	77.31		
Power Purchased,	181.84		
Tornado Expense,	55.37		
Total Water Supply Expenses,		$3,114.53	
DISTRIBUTION EXPENSES			
Superintendence,	$1,227.00		
Distribution Labor,	4,636.27		
Meter Department Labor,	669.75		
Other Supplies and Expenses,	241.01		
Repairs to Mains,	288.34		
Repairs to Services,	288.56		
Repairs to Hydrants,	370.16		
Repairs to Meters,	427.26		
Total Distribution Expenses,		$8,148.35	
OTHER EXPENSES			
Salary,	$600.00		
General Office Expense,	342.39		
Other General Expense,	176.04		
Insurance,	436.68		
Stationery and Printing,	54.75		
Shop Expense,	498.15		
Garage Expense,	1,308.27		
Taxes,	256.88		
Interest,	2,452.50		
Loss on Exchange of Assets,	135.28		
Total Other Expenses,		$6,260.94	
Total Operating Expenses,			$17,523.82
Net Profit Before Depreciation,			$16,592.45
Depreciation,			9,523.87
Net Income for the Period,			$7,068.58

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

STATEMENT OF EUGENE C. HOWARD, TAX COLLECTOR

Of the City of Rochester, N. H., for the balance of the year 1938, covering the period from January 1, 1939, to December 31, 1939

Debit

Balance due January 1, 1939	$45,677 45
Cash in collector's hands January 1, 1939	1,372 70
Added real estate	4 00
Added polls	684 00
Added national bank stock taxes	1 00
Interest collected	1,750 51
	$49,489 66

Credit

Abatements, property taxes	$467 96
Abatements, poll taxes	1,720 00
Cash deposited to the credit of the City	47,301 70
	$49,489 66

STATEMENT OF EUGENE C. HOWARD
TAX COLLECTOR

At the close of business December 31, 1939

DEBIT

Real estate commitment	$323,929 98
Poll tax commitment	12,106 00
National bank stock taxes	1,311 00
Errors in commitment	38 90
Added list, property taxes	144 77
Added list, poll taxes	340 00
Interest collected	54 83
	$337,925 48

CREDIT

Cash deposited to credit of City	$278,378 06
Abatements, real estate	2,518 68
Abatements, poll taxes	48 00
Cash in collector's hands	437 19
	$281,381 93

Balance outstanding January 1, 1940 .... $56,543 55

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER WORKS

For the Year Ending December 31, 1939

To the Committee on Water Works:

Gentlemen:

The forty-eighth annual report of the Water Department is herewith submitted:

The source of supply during the year: Reservoir.

Water Main Extensions

Old Gonic Road, 854 feet of 6-inch cast iron pipe.
State Street, 462 feet of 6-inch cast iron pipe.
Adams Ave., 161 feet of 6-inch cast iron pipe.
Broadway, E. Rochester, 390 feet of 6-inch cast iron pipe.
Walnut Street, 779 feet of 6-inch cast iron pipe.
Waldron Ave., 288 feet of 6-inch cast iron pipe.
Whitehouse Street, 1,002 feet of 6-inch cast iron pipe.
First Street, 739 feet of 6-inch cast iron pipe.
Lagasse Street, 149 feet of 6-inch cast iron pipe.

Service Main Extensions

Hussey Road, 540 feet of 2-inch galvanized pipe.
Waverly Street, 94 feet of 1-inch galvanized pipe.
Mill Street, Gonic, 34 feet of 1-inch galvanized pipe.
Dow Court, 143 feet of 1½-inch galvanized pipe.
School Street, Gonic, 278 feet of 2-inch galvanized pipe.
Madison Ave., 44 feet of 1½-inch galvanized pipe.
Knight Court, 421 feet of 2-inch galvanized pipe.
Old Dover Road, 647 feet of 1½-inch galvanized pipe.
Waverly Street, 75 feet of 1-inch galvanized pipe.
Dodge Street, 12 feet of 1¼-inch galvanized pipe.
Walnut Ave., E. Rochester, 109 feet of 1½-inch galvanized pipe.

Gate Valves Set

State Street, one 6-inch valve.
Broadway, E. Rochester, one 6-inch valve.
Walnut Street, one 6-inch valve.

Waldron Ave., two 6-inch valves.
Whitehouse Street, two 6-inch valves.
First Street, two 6-inch valves.

New Hydrants Set, 1939

Old Gonic Road, one Corey hydrant, steamer type.
State Street, one Corey hydrant, steamer type.
Broadway, E. Rochester, one Corey hydrant, steamer type.
Walnut Street, one Corey hydrant, steamer type.
Waldron Ave., one Corey hydrant, steamer type.
Whitehouse Street, one Corey hydrant, steamer type.
First Street, one Corey hydrant, steamer type.
Chestnut Street, replaced Coffin with Corey hydrant, steamer type.

Total number of hydrants		289
Rochester	208	
East Rochester	43	
Gonic	32	
South Lebanon, Me.	6	
Broken hydrants repaired		8
Hydrants changed		1

Service Department

New services laid in 1939	98
Services discontinued	4
Services to date	2,483
Services relaid in 1939	44
Service leaks repaired	12
Main leaks repaired	3
Services turned on	66
Services shut off	64
Services thawed in Rochester	15
Service and well pipes thawed outside Rochester	9
Wells pumped out	6
Cellars pumped out	2

Total Feet Service Pipe Laid in 1939

Brass pipe, size 2 inch	62 feet
Brass pipe, size 1¼ inch	85 feet
Brass pipe, size 1 inch	287 feet
Brass pipe, size ¾ inch	4,708 feet
Galvanized pipe, size 2 inch	1,239 feet

Galvanized pipe, size 1½ inch	899 feet
Galvanized pipe, size 1¼ inch	56 feet
Galvanized pipe, size 1 inch	829 feet
Galvanized pipe, size ¾ inch	2,037 feet

General Work

F. M. check valves inspected twice during year.
Bushes around ponds and over pipeline cut.
Hydrants were painted.
Gate house at Reservoir repaired.

Meter Sizes and Number in Use
December 31, 1939

	⅝	¾	1	1¼	1½	2	3	4	6	8
Gamon	6									
Gem					1			2	2	1
Hersey	16									
Buffalo			2							
Lambert	384	33	6		1	2				
King Vertical	2	1								
New American	1		1							
King			1							
Trident	443	61	22		6	4				
Arctic	22	25	1		2					
Empire	793	135	80				2			
Keystone				2	1	2	1			
Crown		12	19							
Watch Dog	5									
Nash K	100	2	13							
Federal			16		2					
Nilo							1			
Imo	8									
	1780	269	161	2	13	8	4	2	2	1

New meters set in 1939	69
Meters removed during year	114
Meters reset during year	122

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE D. DAME,
Superintendent.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SEWERS

For the Year Ending December 31, 1939

To the Committee on Sewers:

Gentlemen: The annual report of the sewer department is herewith submitted:

Number of permits given to do plumbing in 1939	101
Number of new connections	85
Number of connections to date	2,130
Number of connections cleaned in 1939	35

Sewers flushed in May.

Sewer Main Extensions

Wallace Street, 648 feet of 6-inch akron pipe, 3 manholes.

Willey Street, 457 feet of 6-inch akron pipe, 2 manholes.

Spring Street, East Rochester, 450 feet of 10-inch akron pipe, 2 manholes.

Farrington Street, 55 feet of 4-inch akron pipe.

Mill Street, Gonic, 52 feet of 6-inch akron pipe.

Wakefield Street, 300 feet of 8-inch akron pipe, 1 manhole.

Madison Avenue, 73 feet of 6-inch akron pipe.

Knight Court, 71 feet of 6-inch akron pipe.

Dodge Street, 36 feet of 6-inch akron pipe.

Walnut Avenue, East Rochester, 43 feet of 6-inch akron pipe.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE D. DAME,
Superintendent.

REPORT OF CITY MARSHAL

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen: In submitting my report for the year 1939, as City Marshal I desire to express my sincere thanks to the Honorable Mayor and City Council for their support and cooperation in the discharge of the duties pertaining to my office.

Also, I wish to convey my appreciation to the Honorable Court and its officers for their assistance; and to the officers of the Police Department my thanks for their cooperation and faithful discharge of their duties.

Whole number of arrests	340
Drunks	102
Non-Support	13
Fugitive from justice	1
Keeping unclean market	2
Assault	16
Larceny	20
Vagrants	2
Embezzlement	3
Selling cream under wholesale price	1
Slot machine	1
Breaking and entering	6
Indecent exposure	1
Brawl and tumult	3
Selling beer without permit	1
Disorderly conduct	2
Disturbing peace	2
Promoting delinquency of child	2
Damaging fence posts	1
Robbery	1
Cheating and defrauding	1
Transporting live poultry without license	1
Unnatural and lascivious act	1
Distributing milk without license	1
Failure to pay unemployment contributions	4
Violation of game laws	6

Motor Violations

Operating without license	18
Speeding	32
Driving under influence	11
Misuse of plates	5
Driving without proper license	5
Failure to keep to the right	8
Reckless driving	3
Leaving the scene of an accident	5
Failure to comply with inspection laws	8
Stop sign violations	37
Failure to report accident	1
Operating without adequate brakes	1
Using car without permission	1
Failure to stop when ordered to do so	2
Over-time parking	5
All night parking	2
Double parking	1
Operating car without registration	1

Lodgers	1,094
Doors unlocked	240
Dogs killed	38
Cats killed	3
Deer killed	1
Gasoline used for year	1,037¾ gals.
Bicycle accidents for November and December	4
Auto accidents for November and December	35
Pistol permits issued	58

Respectfully submitted,

MAITLAND J. BERRY,
City Marshal.

REPORT OF CITY SOLICITOR

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:

I herewith respectfully submit to you my report as City Solicitor for the fiscal year 1939.

The suit brought by the city against the Estate of George Corliss to recover money expended for the support of the deceased is still continued in Superior Court pending the settlement of another estate in which Mr. Corliss had an interest as an heir.

The petition for abatement of taxes by the Spiers Brick Company which was pending in the Superior Court at the beginning of the fiscal year has since been settled outside of court.

All other legal questions which have arisen during the year have been disposed of without litigation.

Very truly yours,

LEONARD C. HARDWICK,
City Solicitor.

REPORT OF CLERK OF POLICE COURT

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

I herewith submit a statement of the condition of the finances of the Rochester Municipal Court as of December 31, 1939:

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand January 1, 1939	$17 61
Received from fines and fees	2,640 03
Received from Superior Court	63 00
Received from sale of writs	31 60
Received from entry fees, executions, etc.	23 51
	$2,775 75

EXPENDITURES

Paid City Treasurer	$1,000 00
Motor Vehicle Department	975 24
Supplies	56 42
Witnesses and other fees	438 94
Restitution	116 50
Fish and Game Department	45 80
Printing	47 00
Errol H. Hall, Special Justice	10 00
Stenographic hire	20 00
Postage	5 00
Cash on hand December 31, 1939	60 85
	$2.775 75

Number of criminal cases	349

Complaints filed as follows:

Rochester Police Department	263
N. H. State Police	46
County	12
Town of Milton	9
Fish and Game	6

N. H. Milk Control	4
State Liquor Commission	3
N. H. Division of Labor	3
N. H. Board of Health	3
	349
Civil Cases	49
Civil Cases (Small Claims)	43
Juvenile	16
Total number of cases	457

WILLIAM E. JACOBS,
Clerk.

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of William E. Jacobs, Clerk of the Municipal Court of Rochester for the year ending December 31, 1939, and I find them as set forth in the above statement with all payments to the Treasurer properly receipted for and cash balance on hand of $60.85.

GARDNER S. HALL,
Justice.

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1939.

I have inspected 156 gasoline pumps, adjusted 15 and condemned 6 for repairs.

Inspected scales at the stores, farmers, poultry dealers, grain dealers, shoe shops, woolen mills, schools, laundries, hospital, coal, ice, junk and peddlers. Boston and Maine scales at the freight, baggage, express offices and track scales. Adjusted 94 scales and confiscated and destroyed one for defects.

Inspected all fuel oil trucks, 10 kerosene pumps and condemned one.

Measured wood dealers trucks, re-weighed coal, potatoes, onions and sealed packages.

Re-inspected all gasoline pumps and scales when necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

J. B. CALLAHAN,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGINEER OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1939.

The following alarms were answered by the department in the city proper: 21 bell alarms, 176 still alarms, 2 false alarms, 18 auto fires, 3 out of town calls, 34 brush-grass fires; East Rochester: 12 bell alarms, 6 still alarms, 3 false alarms, 1 auto fire, 2 brush-grass fires; Gonic answered: 38 calls, 21 chimney fires, 8 brush-grass fires, 4 building fires, 1 auto fire, 3 false alarms, 1 haystack fire, and assisted Barrington June 10th and October 12th, making a total of 304 alarms for the year.

The estimated value of the buildings damaged by fire this year:

Value of buildings	$197,400 00
Insurance on same	172,575 00
Losses paid	11,310 78
Value of contents	127,078 00
Insurance on same	96,400 00
Losses paid	15,899 79

We assisted on June 11th and July 28th the Town of Barrington and October 16th Center Lebanon, Maine.

I will recommend at this time the purchase of one lighting plant with portable flood light as many times we need them in places where we are without light.

Once again I call to your attention the need of another man at the Central Station. This year we have had 8 calls that left the station without any person in charge or a driver. This I consider very bad practice and we are unable to give service in this condition.

There have been 1,000 feet 2½-inch hose purchased and two new fire alarm boxes installed, No. 29 on

Wakefield Street and No. 46, Rochester Heights. We are hoping to install more this year.

At this time I wish to express my appreciation to His Honor, the Mayor, members of the City Council, Committee on Fire Department and members of the Board of Engineers, also members of the department who rendered most efficient service, and to the public which rendered us help in many ways, I extend my sincere appreciation for the aid and support rendered me during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON G. CUSHING,
Chief Engineer.

ROCHESTER FIRE ALARM

Box No.	Location
12	Central Square, corner Congress Street.
13	North Main and Bridge Streets.
14	River and Lafayette Streets.
15	Waldron Avenue and Chestnut Street.
16	Pine and Brattle Streets.
17	Maple and Highland Streets.
18	Maple and Yale Streets.
21	Pine and North Main Streets.
23	Strafford Square.
24	High and North Main Streets.
25	High and Walnut Streets.
26	Wakefield Street, near Union Street.
27	Pleasant and Wakefield Streets.
28	Glenwood Avenue and Wakefield Street.
29	Spaulding High School.
31	Kimball and Summer Streets.
32	Signal and Summer Streets.
33	Portland Street and Clow Court.
34	Leonard Street and Harrison Avenue.
35	Prospect and Portland Streets.
36	School and Winter Streets.
37	Foot of Silver Street.
38	King and Court Streets.
41	Woodman and Charles Streets.
42	Academy and Charles Streets.
43	May and Charles Streets.
44	Lowell and Charles Streets.
45	Hancock and Charles Streets.
46	Rochester Heights.
47	Hancock and Upham Streets.
52	Portland and South Main Streets.
53	Winter and South Main Streets.
54	Linden and South Main Streets.
55	Whitehall Swamp Road and South Main Street.
231	Washington and Oak Streets.

461 Frisbie Memorial Hospital.
312 Wentworth Avenue and Portland Street.

Special Signals

6	Brush Fire or Fire at a Distance.
22-22	Signal for No School.
1	Engineer's Test.
2	Fire Out.
3-3-3	Legion Call.
4-4-4	Boy Scouts.
6-6	Engineer's Call.
	Fire Station Phone 89.
	Fire Chief's Phone (residence) 933.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:

We hereby submit our report for the year ending December 31, 1939:

Number of infectious or contagious diseases reported ..... 113 cases

Scarlet fever, 3 cases, no deaths
Measles, 4 cases, no deaths
Chicken pox, 75 cases
Mumps, 31 cases
Diphtheria, none
Typhoid fever, none
Infantile paralysis, no cases
Number of rooms fumigated, 23
Four T. B. Clinics have been held during the year.
Whooping cough immunization—62 children receiving treatment.
Diphtheria immunization clinics—47 children immunized.

Number of deaths from all causes excluding stillbirths	128
Number of stillbirths	7
Number of deaths from tuberculosis	4
Number of deaths from cancer	11
Death rate per 1,000 (basis 10,000 population)	12.8

Respectfully submitted,

NORMAN K. CHESLEY, M. D.,
FORREST L. KEAY, M. D.,
CHARLES E. GOODWIN,
Board of Health.

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:

The following list shows the names and the amount of direct relief furnished each applicant by the City of Rochester for the year ending December 31, 1939.

Mabel Beckman	$121 70
Arthur Bickford	763 59
Annie Blaisdell	162 13
Joseph Blanchard	182 00
Joseph Boivin	359 84
Frank Boulet	379 51
Andrew Boutin	314 27
Louis Carter	75 62
John Collins	24 24
Leon Custeau	104 00
Sadie Dickinson	54 39
Joseph Downing	150 00
Joseph Duperre	156 00
James Estey	409 69
Walter Ferland	33 82
George E. Gagne	108 50
George W. Garland	55 41
Mrs. Eben Goodrich	235 50
Frank S. Grant	168 00
John T. Grant	35 50
Mrs. Henry Grenier	60 00
John W. Hall	34 90
Forrest Ham	179 30
Francis W. Hanscom	33 50
Mrs. Newell B. Horne	123 20
Mrs. Ernest Howard	242 00
Harry F. Howard	256 23
Emily Jenness	4 92
Nathan Kendrick	78 00
Mrs. Arthur LaBelle	4 25
Arthur Lee	424 94
Odeas Lessard	13 30
Lizzie Locke	44 51
Ella Martin	33 36

Rene Maxfield	103 70
Ernest Minnon	221 32
Josephine Moisan	41 50
Ernest Morrill	3 00
Carroll Morse	11 60
John Noone	18 00
Mrs. John Ordway	25 00
Charles H. Page	24 00
Mrs. Wesley Page	180 00
Delozo Turmelle	17 76
Mrs. Ralph Watson	44 95
Clarence Whitehouse	5 00
William York	18 00
Sylvanus Gage	3 40
Eliza Manzer	3 05
Charles W. Page	4 50
Louis J. Derby	30 95
Napoleon Boulet	9 00
Kate Carroll	90
Jennie Tilton	10 76
Addie Wormhood	9 50
Fred York	46 00
Harry H. Jackson	16 50
Martha Sawyer	2 60
James P. Elford	1 45
Isaac Pearl	16 10
Linwood B. Canney	154 90
Raymond Abbott	251 20
Herbert Barrett	18 00
Mrs. Herbert Barrett	108 00
Dexter Bradbury	35 00
Alice Brock	4 00
Hazel Bunker	31 52
George W. Collins	6 50
Forrest Dodge	135 00
Kenneth L. Drapeau	2 00
George Duchesneau, Jr.	63 00
Rex Emerson	16 25
Paul Grassi	36 00
Arthur Grenier	105 00
Fred S. Hayes	81 40
Mrs. Sydney Hayes	10 00
Maude Hobbs	68 00
Louise Howard	4 00
William Jones	8 00

Joseph Lambert	19 00
Peter Lessard	60 00
Marquis Osborne	60 00
George W. Robinson	31 00
Mrs. Forrest Rowe	93 35
Joseph Roy	28 80
Chester Small	250 67
George Palmer	181 77
Moses A. Peavey	354 47
Mary Perreault	171 52
Alexander Pluff	127 50
Charles Ross	14 00
Emma Spencer	131 08
Harold Stevens	149 73
Fannie Stillings	54 00
Winfield Tibbetts	248 94
John T. Whitehouse	265 00
Romeo Boisvert	219 92
Dolan Downs	12 00
	$9,905 18

Board and care cases—adults

Mrs. Norman Arlin	$240 00	
Archie Beaudoin	248 60	
Matthias Bolduc	250 01	
Ovide Drolette	180 90	
George Estes	147 00	
William Fellows	241 00	
Carrie Grant	21 00	
Leon Hannah	112 00	
Charles Howard	148 41	
Henry Lique	332 50	
Ira Lucas	312 05	
Effie Patrick	135 00	
Bessie Smyth	240 25	
Delia Turmelle	260 00	
Ida York	316 70	
Gladys Brown	200 99	
John Fleury	107 55	
Katherine Long	26 55	
Joseph Peltier	111 00	
Nellie Mayo	25 00	
		$3,656 51

Board and care cases—children		
Blanche Benner	$156 60	
Jacqueline, Pauline, Normand, Roland, Muriel Boisvert	774 00	
Marie Castonguay	210 00	
Louise Chretien	14 06	
Richard and Lucielle Croteau	160 00	
Gail Grant	240 00	
Janet and Franklyn Grant	361 35	
Pauline Houle	80 00	
Rita Lanoie	120 00	
Lorraine and Marlene Thibeault	373 00	
Agnes Grassie	60 00	
Kenneth Tuck	206 25	
Ernest and Gertrude Woodbury	30 00	
		$2,785 26
Total amount for regular relief	$16,346 95	
Total amount for soldiers' aid	656 76	
Total regular relief and soldiers' aid		$17,003 71
Office administration, investigations, telephone and sewing project, office supplies		1,299 58
Total for regular relief, soldiers' aid, sewing project and office administration		$18,303 29
Amount of appropriation		$20,000 00
Balance unexpended regular relief and soldiers' aid		$1,696 71
Total amount of Old Age Assistance expended		$17,429 42
Appropriation for Old Age Assistance		$16,000 00
Deficit in Old Age Assistance account		$1,429 42

Respectfully submitted,

FORREST L. KEAY,
Overseer of Poor.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that the accounts of the City of Rochester for the year 1939, including the accounts of the School Department and the Student Activity, have been examined and approved.

J. S. TRIPP,
For the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES
OF THE
ROCHESTER PUBLIC LIBRARY
1939

ROCHESTER PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES

JOHN F. CONRAD, *ex-officio*

HENRY J. GRONDIN,	Term expires	1939
J. LEVI MEADER,	"	1939
J. STACY TRIPP,	"	1940
JOEL MCCRILLIS,	"	1940
FRED P. MEADER,	"	1941
GEORGE F. WILSON,	"	1941

TREASURER
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LILLIAN E. PARSHLEY

ASSISTANT LIBRARIANS
E. VELMA FOSS M. FELICE BARIL

CHILDREN'S LIBRARIAN
ELSIE M. KING

GENERAL ASSISTANT
ARLINE I. KING

EXTRA ASSISTANT
CHARLOTTE B. SCOTT

AGENCY

MARJORIE W. STEADMAN	East Rochester, N. H.
AGNES EVANS,	Gonic, N. H.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Rochester Public Library, December 29, 1939, it was voted that the report of the secretary, librarian and treasurer be presented to the city council as the annual report of the trustees for the year 1939.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen:—The Board of Trustees of the Rochester Public Library respectfully submit the forty-sixth annual report, for the year 1939; also the financial reports of the Librarian and Treasurer.

We refer you to the report of the librarian for statistical results of the year's work.

A report of this nature must of necessity deal largely with generalities. The truest evaluation of such an institution is most often represented by intangible values, which are only brought to their fullest consummation as the years go on, and the influence of the institution is reflected in the lives of those who participate in its advantages.

We particularly call your attention to that part of the librarian's report which refers to the lack of room for the proper housing of the books and their care from day to day.

We believe the library as a Public Institution and each one of the Staff has rendered efficient service to its patrons.

As Trustees we appreciate this service.

For the Trustees,

J. STACY TRIPP,
Secretary.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

To the Board of Trustees of the Rochester Public Library:

Gentlemen:—At this the end of another year it is again necessary to present to you as far forth as possible a record of a year's work.

It has been a difficult year, handicapped by lack of room both for the proper housing of the books which must be systematically placed and for doing the work contingent to a growing circulation.

The giving out of 101,962 books from the main library not only means that that number of books have been given out but that every one of those books have come back, have been discharged, repaired and again put in circulation. It has meant the handling of many more than 600 books per day. A book which is wanted has to be looked for first, in its proper place on the shelves, if not found it has to be hunted by means of a flashlight on one of the two trucks in the stack room which accommodate more than four hundred books for which there is no room on the shelves.

The Branch libraries have come in for their share of attention. The reestablishment of the Gonic Branch, with Agnes Evans in charge has brought joy to that community as has been made evident by the 2,360 books given out since the sixth of May, the date of opening.

The East Rochester Branch has gone on since the Public Library was instituted and for many years under the efficient management of Nora Elliot. This branch was closed for about six weeks for redecoration. Mrs. Elliot has passed on and Marjorie Steadman has taken her place. 1,623 books have been given out. Combining the circulation at the main library with that of the two branch libraries the figure has reached 105,945 as a total circulation of Rochester books, for the year 1939.

The children's department, with the exception of the reference department, is the only department which

has shown a decrease. There are so many interesting things for children to do today, it is hoped that they are not losing the habit of reading. The children's librarian reports a circulation of 19,852, a loss for the year of 1,517 and the number of readers counted in the room 3,588, a decrease of 480.

It may be noted from the statistics which follow that fewer readers and students have come to the library this year. This is probably due to the loss of a majority of high school students who have heretofore filled the reference room to its utmost capacity during the days of the school year. This does not leave the room unused however, for there are many adults and university students who are glad to have more opportunity to use the reference room and there are still high school students who come for serious work and to consult books which it has taken the library many years to accumulate. The number of readers and students counted during the year was 16,714.

Many valuable additions have been made to the various classes. Among the 973 books purchased has been a new edition of the Encyclopaedia Britainnica in exchange for the old, an additional volume of the National Biography, the Statesman's Year Book, the New Lincoln Library, filled with interesting facts for quick reference and many useful handbooks as well as the books of the day which the readers want or need. The number of volumes in the library at the present time is 37,140.

The routine of the library has been somewhat varied by a change in the Board of Trustees and the loss of a member of the staff; by a near fire when the boiler burned out and the library had to be closed for five days while a new one was installed; by a meeting of the librarians of the two southeastern districts in New Hampshire, of which the librarian had been chairman for over a year. This meeting was attended by Miss Thelma Brackett, the State Librarian, Miss Margaret Grant, the Executive Secretary of the New Hampshire Library Association, and more than forty librarians and trustees. Two of the grade teachers have brought their classes to the library to learn its ways and three groups of Girl Scouts have come to learn library methods and the care of books.

A very interesting summer reading contest was carried on with prizes for the best readers, and during New Book Week, an exhibition of dolls and handicrafts was held for the entire week, attracting more than 500 visitors.

Allowing the librarian to omit the annual inventory, which owing to the congested condition of the shelves, would have been a long and difficult process, saved time, which could be used in bringing the card catalogue up to date by withdrawing cards of books no longer in the library and inserting cards for all recent books.

Each day is a busy day at the library. One of our influential citizens said recently that he "believed the Public Library was the busiest place in Rochester." It has been difficult in the short library day to keep the work up as it should be. Library work is a business as well as a profession and requires the same thoughtful planning, the same care for detail, the same foresight as to supply and demand, of budgeting and financing and at the end of the year, presents the same anxiety as to balance and results.

The work consumes many more than the scheduled library hours for the librarian, but it could not be carried on without the loyal cooperation of the two assistant librarians, the children's librarian and the general, and extra assistants who, in addition to their other duties, are always ready to meet the demands of the public graciously and competently.

For the faithful assistance of the entire staff, I am indeed grateful. I would also express my appreciation to the donors of flowers which have made the library attractive, to the donors of books and periodicals for the library and curios for the museum.

To the Trustees who as ever have encouraged and assisted in every way to make the work of the year successful, I give grateful thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN E. PARSHLEY,
Librarian.

Rochester, N. H., December 29, 1939.

STATISTICS FOR 1939

GROWTH

Number of volumes in library January 1, 1939	36,069
Number of volumes purchased from general fund	841
Number of volumes purchased from the John McDuffee Fund	17
Number of volumes purchased from the Samuel D. Felker Fund	60
Number of volumes purchased from the Charles and Aroline Greenfield Fund	59
Number of volumes purchased from the Jennie Farrington Annex Fund	16
Number added by binding magazines	44
Number of volumes donated	76
Total additions for the year	1,113
Number lost or destroyed by patrons at the main library	17
Number destroyed by patrons at East Rochester	2
Number of volumes discarded because worn out	23
Total loss	42
Gain for the year	1,071
Number of accessioned volumes in the library December 31, 1939	37,140

USE

Population of Rochester at last census	10,209
Number of borrowers registered at library	7,209
Registrations during 1939	533
Number of days open to the public	298
Number of books issued from the main library	101,962
Increase over last year	1,380
Number of books given out to adults at main library	82,110
Number given out from the children's department	19,852
Number of volumes sent to East Rochester Branch	825

Number of days open at East Rochester	89
Number of books issued from East Rochester Branch	1,623
Decrease from last year	24
Number of books sent to Gonic Branch	800
Number of days open from May 6	66
Number of registrations	107
Number of books issued from Gonic Branch	2,360
Total circulation for the year	105,945
Increase over 1938	3,712
Number of volumes given out to teachers for school work	226
Number of volumes presented as choice for required reading of school pupils	8,446
Increase over last year	2,809
Number of books issued for required reading	2,865
Number of books, periodicals and pamphlets charged for use in building	1,003
Number of periodicals issued for home use	8,957

READERS AND STUDENTS

Number of readers and students counted	16,714
Decrease from last year	1,401
Number of readers counted in children's room	3,588
Decrease from last year	480

WORK

Number of books selected and purchased	973
Number of books classified, catalogued and prepared for circulation	1,049
Numbers of volumes rebound	383
Number of volumes repaired at library	11,543
Number of books and magazines fumigated	195
Number of pamphlets and periodicals filed	1,929
Number of books selected and prepared for branch libraries and The Gafney Home	1,897
Number of notices sent for overdue books	412
Number of books sent for by messenger	3
Number of reserve postals sent	1,470

CIRCULATION BY CLASSES

	Library	East Rochester	Gonic	Total
Fiction	53,936	1,061	1,568	56,565
Juvenile	16,358	534	713	17,605
Biography	4,316	5		4,321
Periodicals	8,757		3	8,760
General Works	434			434
Philosophy	814	5	13	832
Religion	543		5	548
Sociology	2,135	4	17	2,156
Philology	343			343
Science	907		2	909
Useful Arts	2,249	2	2	2,253
Fine Arts	2,110		2	2,112
Literature	4,204		6	4,210
History	4,856	12	29	4,897
Total	101,962	1,623	2,360	105,945

CIRCULATION, 1937 TO 1939

	1937	1938	1939
Fiction	53,073	54,642	56,565
Juvenile	16,453	18,572	17,605
Biography	3,335	3,150	4,321
Periodicals	7,421	9,514	8,760
General Works	722	539	434
Philosophy	820	778	832
Religion	643	537	548
Sociology	1,213	1,660	2,156
Philology	458	380	343
Science	799	945	909
Useful Arts	1,684	2,032	2,253
Fine Arts	1,861	1,685	2,112
Literature	4,122	3,380	4,210
History	4,129	4,419	4,897
Total	96,733	102,233	105,945
Readers	17,634	18,115	14,988

CHILDREN'S ROOM, 1937 TO 1939

	1937	1938	1939
Juvenile	16,453	18,001	16,358
Biography	243	251	354
Periodicals	1,060	1,220	1,269
General Works	31	47	29
Philosophy	1	3	1
Religion	34	34	71
Sociology	258	429	504
Science	122	196	177
Useful Arts	138	309	314
Fine Arts	100	200	236
Literature	200	236	227
History	261	443	312
Total	18,901	21,369	19,852
Readers	4,125	4,068	3,588

DONORS TO WHOM THE LIBRARY GIVES GRATEFUL THANKS

Abbott, Mrs. E. M.
American Legion, Rochester Post, No. 7
American Legion Auxiliary, Rochester Unit, No. 7
Bachelder, I. F.
Bahai Publishing Company
Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Rochester Lodge, No. 1393
Boston University
Bryant, H. M.
Chesley, Dr. N. K.
Chicago College of Osteopathy
Christian Scientists, Rochester Group of
Clements, Mr. and Mrs. Colin
Dartmouth College
Davis, Mrs. Forrest
DeMerritt, Bruce R.
DeMerritt, Mrs. Bruce R.
DeMerritt, Bruce R., Jr.
Dover Public Library
Dufault, Mrs. Vertume
Events, Friend of the Library
Felker, Charles H.
Filene, Edward A., Former Associates of the late
Foss, Bernice E.
Hall, Charles J.
Hanscam, Mrs. John
Harmonie Club
Hayes, Mrs. S. B.
Hussey, Wallace
King, Reginald
Lew, W. G.
Loyal Workers Society, Advent Christian Church
McConnell, Burt M.
McDonald, R. L.
Marshall, Gloria
Mary Torr Chapter, D. A. R.

Methodist Episcopal Church Society
Middlebury College
Mitchell, Mrs. Karl P.
Neal, Erlon H.
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company
New Hampshire, State of
New Hampshire Public Libraries Bulletin
New Hampshire State Library
New Hampshire State Planning and Development Commission
New Hampshire State Sanatorium
New Hampshire State Teachers' Association
Northeastern University
Otis, Willis, The late
Publishers:
- Bell Telephone Quarterly
- Dynamic America
- Facts and Figures
- Foster's Daily Democrat
- Golfing
- Living Tissue
- Maine Christian Pilgrim
- Nation's Business
- New Hampshire Issue
- New Hampshire Labor Review
- Our Dumb Animals
- Protectionist
- Rochester Courier
- Rochester Observer
- Rosicrucian Digest
- Specialty Salesman
- Telephone Topics
- Sunday School Times

Redlon, Leroy
Rochester, City of
Rochester Council, G. S. A.
Rochester High School
Rochester Townsend Club
Rochester Woman's Club
Romig, Walter and Company
Sanborn, Lillian K. H.
Slocum, Horace W.
Snow, Capt. Conrad E.
Somerville, Mass., Public Library
Suffolk University Law School
Swain, Ellie G.
Thomson, Mrs. L. P.
Tuttle Post, Spanish American War Veterans, Dover
University of New Hampshire
University of Notre Dame
Veterans of Foreign Wars
Veterans of Foreign Wars, Ladies' Auxiliary
Works Progress Administration
Wallace, Nona

DONORS OF CURIOS

Boyce, Bessie
Doe, Maude L.
Gleason, Mildred
Roe, Adele

DONORS OF FLOWERS

Barber, Mrs. Margaret
Baril, M. Felice
Bliss, Mrs. Henry
Bliss, Phyllis
Crocker, Myrtle
Dame, Blanche
Dustin, Mrs. Miles H.
Foss, Bernice E.
Guptill, Mrs. Irving S.
Horne, Mrs. Ralph A.
Jacobs, Mrs. W. E.
Kidder, Mrs. Oliver
Pike, Mrs. Cecil
Snow, Mrs. L. P.
Tripp, Mrs. J. Stacy
Haven Hill Garden Club Members

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 1939

Amount of money on hand January 1, 1939	$11 78
Received from Rochester Woman's Club ..	12 00
Received from fines and other sources	450 97
	$474 75
Turned over to City Treasurer	$450 00
Balance on hand	24 75
	$474 75

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN E. PARSHLEY,
Librarian.

BEQUESTS

John McDuffee Fund	$5,000 00
Samuel D. Felker Fund	5,000 00
Charles and Aroline Greenfield Fund	5,000 00
Jennie Farrington Annex Fund	1,000 00
Olive Maria Woodward Fund	183 73
	$16,183 73

PUBLIC LIBRARY RECEIPTS

Balance on hand January 1, 1939	$3 30
Appropriation from City	8,400 00
Received from the librarian fines and other sources	450 00
Interest on the John McDuffee Fund	100 50
Interest on the Samuel D. Felker Fund	100 50
Interest on the Charles and Aroline Greenfield Fund	100 50
Interest on the Jennie Farrington Fund	20 10
	$9,174 90

EXPENDITURES

Books from the general fund	$1,274 85
Books from the John McDuffee Fund	100 50
Books from the Samuel D. Felker Fund	100 50
Books from the Charles and Aroline Greenfield Fund	100 50
Books from the Jennie Farrington Fund	20 10
Periodicals	205 76
Binding	372 16
Supplies and incidentals	274 37
Printed supplies	205 75
Furnishings and repairs	145 40
Liability insurance	9 22
Lighting, supplies and repairs	256 13
Telephone	34 50
Gonic Branch, salaries and supplies	90 30
Salaries	5,971 55
Balance on hand	13 31
	$9,174 90

I have examined the receipts and expenditures of the financial reports of the Librarian, Lillian E. Parshley, and the Treasurer, Frank E. Hussey. I find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

J. STACY TRIPP,
Secretary of the Board of Trustees.

Rochester, N. H., December 29, 1939.

Annual Report of the

SCHOOL BOARD OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER

For the Year Ending December 31, 1939

School Board—City of Rochester

As Organized for 1939

Chairman, HON. JOHN F. CONRAD

Ward One—E. Leonard Purvis, Harvey E. Warburton.
Ward Two—Maurice A. Jones, Kennett R. Kendall.
Ward Three—James F. Bogan, Walter H. Wood.
Ward Four—Edgar W. Belanger, Leo E. Beaudoin.
Ward Five—Robert D. Marsh, Charles W. Wentworth.
Ward Six—Charles P. Daley, Henry K. Dow.

STANDING COMMITTEES, 1939

Finances—Mayor, Wentworth, Bogan.
Teachers and Salaries—Kendall, Beaudoin, Jones, Wood, Daley.
Textbooks and Supplies—Belanger, Daley, Kendall.
Transportation—Bogan, Purvis, Belanger.
Schoolhouses and Grounds—Marsh, Beaudoin, Jones.
Vocational—Wood, Dow, Warburton.

School Board—City of Rochester

As Organized for 1940

Chairman, HON. JOSHUA F. STUDLEY

Ward One—Harvey E. Warburton, E. Leonard Purvis.
Ward Two—Kennett R. Kendall, Ronald McGregor.
Ward Three—Walter H. Wood, James E. Connelly.
Ward Four—Leo E. Beaudoin, Edgar W. Belanger.
Ward Five—Charles W. Wentworth, Robert D. Marsh.
Ward Six—Henry K. Dow, Charles P. Daley.

STANDING COMMITTEES, 1940

Finances—Mayor, Wood, Daley.
Teachers and Salaries—Dow, Wentworth, Wood, Purvis, Beaudoin.
Textbooks and Supplies—Kendall, Dow, Belanger.
Transportation—Purvis, Marsh, Beaudoin.
Schoolhouses and Grounds—Marsh, Kendall, Connelly.
Vocational—Wentworth, Warburton, McGregor.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS AND SECRETARY TO THE BOARD

Arthur S. Rollins

Office at City Building. Office Hours: 4:00 to 5:00 P. M. on school days. Residence, 96 Wakefield Street.

SECRETARY TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Myrtle L. Cheney

Office Hours: 8:00 to 11:30 A. M., 1:00 to 5:00 P. M. on school days.

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

C. Edward Goodwin

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Rochester School Board:

I herewith submit my annual report which is the seventh under my supervision and the forty-eighth in the series of school reports. In it an attempt has been made to present a discussion of major school items and to give desired information without an excess of numerical tabulation. Members of the Board and other interested citizens are urged to consult the superintendent's office for information they would like to have but do not find in this report. In the conduct of your schools every member of the community is entitled to full information and such will be gladly given.

The 1939 school census completed in September reveals some interesting facts not found elsewhere in this report. In comparison with similar returns in 1938 this census shows a slight increase in resident school population as well as a gain in tuition pupils from other districts. This information is shown in condensed form in parallel columns.

	1938	1939
No. Children, 5-16,	2,119	2,125
	(Boys 1,016, Girls 1,103)	(Boys 1,038, Girls 1,087)
No. Children 5-16 not in school,	136	120
No. Children 5-16 in school,	1,983	2,005
No. Children registered in public schools,	1,629	1,767
No. Children in parochial schools,	674	660
No. Children who completed elementary schools but did not continue in school,	29	22

A very encouraging feature of this statement is that seven fewer children terminated their school membership in 1939 than the year before.

ROCHESTER TEACHERS

The customary change in our teaching personnel in any one year is small, but for the current school year several new members were added. By resignation, the services of Miss Inez Cole and Mrs. Helen Lord at

East Rochester and Mrs. Ethelyn Jones at Allen School were terminated. Miss Edna Wilson succeeded Miss Cole and Miss Charlotte Floyd took over the work of Mrs. Jones. Because of the transfer of seventh and eighth grade teachers to the high school and the elimination of one position, no successor to Mrs. Lord was named. Because of new offerings in the high school, or the expansion of existing fields of instruction, the following teachers were added to our staff:

Mrs. Day Z. Spaulding,	Art
Mr. Alva Z. Allen,	Biology
Miss Sarah W. Tilton,	Physical Education
Mr. John M. Jeffrey,	Shop
Mr. Paul Nordman,	Shop
Mr. Adolph J. Leocha,	Mathematics and Science
Mr. H. Leroy Bishop,	Mathematics and Science

It may be truly said that all other school problems are dwarfed in interest and significance by those centering in our new high school. For the information of the general public, five phases of the high school situation are here discussed.

The building was expected to house a school family of about 850 pupils when the year opened on September 11, 1939. Instead there was an enrollment of 945 which has since increased to 951 as of November, 1939. A comparison of grade registrations on May 3, 1939, with figures for the same grades on November 1, 1939, shows where the principal gains have occurred:

	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	PG
Nov. 1,	158	144	208	153	138	121	29
May 3,	149	144	150	158	136	115	8
Net change	+9	+0	+58	—5	+2	+6	+21

The greatest gain in any grade is 58 in grade nine and this is accounted for largely by tuition pupils from other school districts. The next largest gain is in the number of post graduates who, for the most part, are our own Rochester boys and girls.

The presence of so many post graduates gives rise to some interesting and significant speculations. There can be no denial that the drawing power of our new school organization accounts for a part of those so

registered but I am convinced that the underlying reason goes much deeper than that. Some of our girls who aspire to becoming trained nurses are extending their preparation in science which was not completed in their regular high school course. The explanation for this neglect may be either a failure of our counseling service to function properly or a decision reached so late in high school life that ample time was lacking to meet all requirements. Other young people are working toward further and more thorough preparation to undertake college work. Still others are seeking a satisfaction of special interest developed in high school or are profitably employing their time until they reach the age at which parents deem it expedient to send them away from home for larger educational experience. Whatever the reasons, they point to one inescapable conclusion—our public schools are coming under increasing responsibility to the entire public and they must enlarge their conception of what constitutes acceptable discharge of that responsibility to all groups and to all ages.

The increase in tuition pupils has brought new emphasis to an old problem. Whenever the excellence of any service, educational or otherwise, attracts attention among people of other communities they naturally desire its advantages for their children. As a result, many and ingenious solutions of the tuition payment problem are advanced. It is the desire and the intention of your superintendent to weigh the merits of each case as it comes up for settlement. In general, the question to be answered is whether children of parents who maintain a residence outside the City of Rochester are living in Rochester homes for the sole or primary purpose of attending our schools. If they are, then they are clearly subject to tuition payment.

At the present time 34 of the 61 classroom teachers in Rochester are employed in the high school. That number will be reduced by one when and if student teachers from the University can be secured for the second semester. Even with this number the teaching load of our teachers is in excess of the daily number of pupils usually accepted as sound educational practice. An unexpected increase in September enrollment may make it necessary to add another full-time teacher to

our staff, but this should not occasion any alarm since tuition receipts will more than meet the additional cost. On the basis of the 1939-40 tuition rate of $64.26, twenty-five tuition pupils will adequately finance the extra instruction including textbooks and supplies.

When grades seven and eight became a part of the high school organization our transportation problems were increased. All such pupils must now be transported from East Rochester and Gonic and transportation schedules throughout the city had to be adjusted on this basis. In order to provide a wholly satisfactory approved type of vehicle within the financial means of the city it was necessary to consolidate some routes that were previously maintained as independent routes. This meant that more exact time schedules were imperative and that some children were required to leave home earlier in the morning or were returned later at night than formerly. Objections, complaints and suggestions have been acted on in a sincere effort to give our people the most satisfactory transportation service we can provide. From the school point of view our greatest problem centers around the early arrival of pupils who come in from the first of two routes covered by one bus. However, teachers have accepted the additional early duty responsibility in a way that promises less and less difficulty as the new routine becomes established.

The step taken by this Board last spring in improving our school transportation was both wise and timely. It was wise because our children deserve the greatest comfort and safety within our ability to give. It was timely because new state regulations, effective July 1, 1940, would have outlawed the major part of transportation equipment heretofore tolerated.

Our membership of 951 pupils in a building located on a triangle between one trunk line and a branch street which carries considerable traffic would create a problem even if all were pedestrians. That problem is intensified by several pupil-operated cars and around 200 bicycles. In order to reduce the traffic hazard a pupil patrol has been organized to direct traffic during the busiest periods of the day. It is a tribute to the fine work of this patrol that no serious accidents have been recorded. Highway safety has been stressed in school instruction in an effort to keep the accident record low.

If the time should come when city-wide registration of bicycles is made compulsory the cause of safety would be materially advanced.

Community use of the high school building took a prominent place in all discussions relative to planning and construction. It was the hope of the donors that Rochester people would make full use of the facilities offered. Accordingly a schedule of rates to be charged for the use of five units of the building has been worked out and reported to the Board. The charges are based on what is estimated to be adequate reimbursement to the school department for costs of heat, light and janitor service. It is not felt that school costs should be increased enough to provide financing of private enterprises in the building.

A well supervised program of adult activities is being carried on under the immediate direction of members of the physical education department to promote wider community use of our building. The activities are planned to meet the expressed wishes of group members and will be modified whenever a demand for change is known. For four nights each week the gymnasium is devoted to this program which provides for those who are not enrolled in any day school. The minimum age for registration is sixteen for women and eighteen for men. At least forty members is the aim for each of the four groups.

COMPARATIVE TABLES

Information recently released from the State Board of Education office is the basis of the three tables here submitted. The places selected are of interest because of similarity to our own city either in number of teachers or in registration or because they are near neighbors of ours.

I. Per Pupil Cost of Public Elementary Schools 1938-1939.

Laconia	$57.08
Rochester	64.68
Claremont	70.74
Keene	70.91
Dover	75.08
Portsmouth	76.89
Somersworth	78.86
Berlin	82.09

(These averages are based on cost of elementary school items plus cost of administration, fixed charges and per capita tax)

In the above list of eight school districts, only Laconia shows a lower per pupil cost than Rochester.

II. Per Pupil Cost of Public High Schools 1938-1939.

	Expenditures	Net Cost
Rochester	$78.62	$69.50
Keene	84.81	71.40
Portsmouth	87.77	68.94
Dover	91.87	73.21
Laconia	93.57	88.89
Claremont	96.90	89.86
Berlin	97.35	94.39
Somersworth	98.38	98.38

(The net cost is obtained by deducting tuition receipts from expenditures)

While Rochester shows the lowest per pupil expenditure, Portsmouth has a lower net cost. The deduction that any school district can make on account of tuition receipts is directly dependent on two factors: (1) the number of tuition pupils enrolled; (2) whether the per pupil cost of instruction for the previous school year or a contract rate is the amount charged.

III. Current Cost of Public Education per $1,000 of Equalized Valuation, 1938-1939.

The two hundred forty-one school districts in New Hampshire are numbered from 1 to 241 beginning with the one showing the lowest current cost and ending with the highest cost per $1,000 of taxable valuation. In other words this list shows the relative degree of public school financing on the basis of ability of each community to pay. For example, the Rochester number, 50, indicates that there are forty-nine other school districts making less financial provision than we are.

Laconia,	No. 36	$7.72	Total current cost
Somersworth,	No. 39	7.77	Total current cost
Rochester,	No. 50	8.34	Total current cost
Berlin,	No. 53	8.64	Total current cost
Dover,	No. 56	8.75	Total current cost

Claremont,	No. 58	$8.77	Total current cost
Portsmouth,	No. 65	9.15	Total current cost
Keene,	No. 70	9.34	Total current cost

The statistical tables above seem to indicate that Rochester per pupil costs, both high school and elementary, are not comparatively high and that our financial effort is exceeded by five of the eight school districts selected for comparison. Just what change in our relative position may take place on the basis of 1939-1940 returns will be known a year hence when the next state tabulation is released.

THE SCHOOL BUDGET

This budget explanation is made a part of this report because, in my opinion, the public is entitled to full information regarding school department finance. The public is likewise entitled to a correction of whatever misinformation may exist.

The 1939 budget showed a total appropriation of $124,359.00 or an advance over the 1938 budget of $13,999.00. That increase was due to certain items of expense unavoidable in our high school set-up and the improvement of transportation throughout the city. The introduction of new courses involved books, supplies, equipment and extra teachers. The enlargement of previous offerings gave the same results. Heat, light and janitor service in the new school served to build up our costs. Just how much was spent for each item of school operation is shown in the financial statement appearing in another part of this report.

When the School Board voted to accept a recommendation that our school system should be reorganized on a 6-6 basis there never was any doubt as to an ultimate increase in school costs. Those who had given a great deal of study to the whole question were convinced that the improved educational service would be worth the added expense. When it was known that Rochester was to receive a magnificent school building at a merely nominal cost to the city the assured increase in operating expense did not assume any alarming proportions. The inadequacy of our former high school and the realization that we must make further provision for the training of our young people unmistakably fore-

cast larger school budgets. Only by the greatest good fortune is our city enabled to avoid much heavier financial burdens than will ever rest upon it for educational purposes.

The annual retirement of $14,000.00 of Maple Street School bonds, completed in 1937, meant that two years ago the City of Rochester was paying for all school purposes a total of $122,353.00 or within $2,006.00 of the 1939 appropriation. When one considers the superior school advantages our young people now enjoy and the greatly increased tuition income received by the school department it appears that our present position is much more favorable than two years ago. Just how much the 1940 school budget will be is not yet known but whatever the increase it can fairly be compared with the total school expenditures in 1937.

The manner of arriving at the budget for any given year should be understood by all of our taxpayers. Each of the six standing committees of the school board considers expenditure proposals within its own delegated field. Recommendations submitted by the superintendent and committee members are discussed and a definite request is framed for presentation to the finance committee. The finance committee makes such changes as seem best and submits a proposed budget to the whole board for its action. The school board then acts on those proposals and adopts a budget for presentation to the City Council. Thus every financial request has been carefully scrutinized three times before council approval is sought.

Obviously, the superintendent or any committee cannot estimate in February exactly what financial needs may develop before the end of the year but they do try to make conservative requests consistent with the best interests of our schools. After the appropriation is definitely fixed it is good business to make expenditures in a prudent manner so that a deficit will not later result from some sudden emergency. Caution in spending means that almost every year we approach the final month with a balance built up by withholding the purchase of necessary and anticipated items. In December of each year, the board has been asked to approve the use of such balances at the discretion of standing committees to whom requests may be re-

ferred. By so doing we are using only what has all along been available for school purposes, we spend the money only for those things most urgently needed, and we have the absolute certainty that we shall not incur a deficit. I believe the above policy to be educationally sound and financially secure. The 1939 balance returned to the city was $1,890.88.

TRANSPORTATION

In the matter of transportation costs it is not desirable to compare different school districts since each one has its own peculiar conditions to meet. One district may furnish transportation to meet only statutory minimum requirements of two miles while another may furnish such service for any distance determined by its school board or district meeting. For this reason it has seemed best to me to present the principal facts about our own system.

At the present time we have no established minimum distance for which transportation will be furnished, although I believe the general understanding is that one mile shall be the basis. However, the Board has been inclined to consider applications for transportation on the merits of each request submitted in order to take into account the various traffic hazards involved. Two types of requests are rather difficult to adjust with satisfaction to both parties—(1) those which require less individual pupil effort in rural districts than is necessary in the heart of the city and (2) those based on promises which should never have been made.

The following table sets forth some interesting facts about transportation as it existed on December 21, 1939, when schools closed.

	Number Pupils Carried				Contract
Transporter	Public	Parochial	High	Total	wage per week
Henry J. Bourcier	24	30	0	54	$39
Charles Foss	17	10	28	55	50
Sumner Watson	18	14	0	32	40
Harvey Warburton	35	4	51	90	45
Edwin Pray	25	12	9	46	45
Cecil Hall	48	7	19	74	55
Norman Raitt	34	11	13	58	40
	201	88	120	409	$314

From these figures it appears that the weekly per pupil cost of transportation is 76.81 cents or 15.36 cents for each of the five school days. Since there is so much variation in the distances over which pupils are transported it would be next to impossible to set up a statement of costs per-pupil-per-mile. However, if we divide our weekly salary payment of $314 by 1254, the total weekly mileage of all busses in the performance of their duty, we arrive at a figure of 25.04 cents per mile of operation. Please note that this cost is not dependent on the number of pupils transported whether there are ten or three times that many on a given day.

HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

By an act of the 1939 Legislature, the education of handicapped children was definitely made a responsibility of the State Board of Education which assumed the control formerly exercised by the Department of Public Welfare. This means that, under the direction of the Commissioner of Education, school districts having handicapped children who cannot be adequately trained in regular schools must provide special instruction. The object of the law is to guarantee to every child the fullest educational opportunity consistent with his physical condition.

Rochester has two pupils whose deafness constitutes too great a handicap for proper instruction in our regular schools. At the present time the Commissioner is trying to work out a plan whereby not only our two pupils but those from other communities as well may receive special instruction in Rochester at least one day each week. The greater the number to be thus served the less will be the per capita expense involved. I am unable at this time to estimate the extent of our new financial obligation but it should result in a significant advance in opportunity for those needing special help.

PUPIL HEALTH

The thanks of the school department and Rochester parents are due Dr. N. K. Chesley for his interest in our health program. Our original plans for 1939 contemplated physical examinations for pupils of the first six grades but high school needs extended the work far beyond those expectations. It does not seem

wise to permit active participation in the new physical education work without being sure that pupils are in fit condition, hence examinations were required. Dr. Chesley enlisted the assistance of Dr. Grigg and Dr. Hartigan in the completion of the examinations. They were assisted by Dr. Weathers and Dr. Potter, two optometrists, who generously volunteered their services. Thus every pupil in the school was afforded an opportunity for a thorough check-up. A comparison of the 1939 health service with that of 1936 should give us all a feeling of pride in the accomplishment of the last three years. When we build good health we build a secure foundation for future happiness and efficiency.

Your attention is directed to the reports of the School Nurse and the Headmaster. Each one presents a discussion of important phases of our school work which deserve careful consideration.

The cooperation of all who have contributed to the success of our schools in the year just ended is appreciated and gratefully acknowledged.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR S. ROLLINS,
Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF HEADMASTER OF HIGH SCHOOL

February 1, 1940

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith submit my fourth annual report as Headmaster of the high school.

This year has witnessed the culmination of our hopes and aspirations as we entered upon our work in the new building in September with an enrollment of approximately 950 students in grades 7 through 12. Our school enrollment at the present time shows the following distribution.

7th Grade	159
8th Grade	145
9th Grade	200
10th Grade	153
11th Grade	137
12th Grade	120
Post Graduates	26
	940

It is significant to observe that certain problems have arisen during the year as a result of the fact that we have about one hundred more pupils than we expected last spring. The most serious of these problems was that arising from the need of caring for the extra classes for which we had to ask for two additional teachers.

We now have thirty-three teachers which gives us an average of 28.5 pupils per teacher. This figure has risen steadily for ten years from the 1930 figure of 21 pupils per teacher to 28 pupils per teacher for the past three years. It is inadvisable in secondary school work for this figure to go any higher.

From our total enrollment of 967 pupils we have lost 27, either in transfers to other schools or in withdrawals for other reasons. This is a percentage of 2.8 for half of the year. Since our percentage of with-

drawals for the past ten years has averaged about 12%, it is gratifying to note that for the first half of the current year, we are showing an unusually high holding power.

There are certain phases of the work growing out of the new program in the high school which are worthy of consideration at this time even though we have not operated an entire year.

The Cafeteria is proving to be a sound venture both from the point of view of cost to the children and from an educational standpoint. Low cost meals, carefully planned, are being served to about 400 students daily and for the first three months of the school year we showed about a 10% profit. It is our desire to show a similar profit until a reserve is built up sufficient to care for replacements to the cafeteria equipment when necessary, and then to reduce costs to the children still further.

It may be of interest to the public to know the extent to which our new courses are being pursued by our students.

There are 163 students taking Biology which requires practically all of one teacher's time. The percentage of failures among Biology pupils has been only 2% which indicates a real interest in the work. This course meets the needs not only of students who require additional science units in preparation for college, but it also provides work in the general field of Science for students not interested in formal Chemistry and Physics.

We have 111 students in Grades 9-12 studying Art in addition to 300 students in Grades 7-8 who take one period per week of drawing. The results of this work are already in evidence in our posters, scenery, and displays throughout the building. This work requires the full time of one teacher.

The work in manual training and domestic science in Grades 7 and 8 is meeting the needs of 300 children and requires the full time of two teachers. We are trying to make the work practical by teaching fundamental skills. The "try-out" value of this work in these grades should help the boys and girls in selecting more carefully their courses as they enter Grade 9 later on.

In general the pupils are responding well to departmentalized instruction. It is naturally difficult for them to make the transition from a one-teacher room to a system in which they have several different teachers. However the experiences in different groups and with different teachers develop initiative and resourcefulness which is gratifying to see come to the surface.

An introduction to work in Health and Physical Education has been made with all of our pupils, the seventh and eighth graders receiving three periods of Health and two of Physical Education weekly, while the pupils in Grades 9-12 receive one period of each per week. In the Health classes we have been interested in trying to teach good health habits, because in youth one acquires the health habits and basic constitution that stay with him throughout his lifetime. The work in the gymnasium is correlated with the Health work and its emphasis is on recreation and healthful play activity rather than on formal calisthenics and gymnastics.

It is gratifying to note that so few children are physically unable to take the work while on the other hand many of our pupils are eager and enthusiastic for their physical education classes.

Complete physical examinations were given by a staff of doctors to every pupil in the school at the beginning of the year and in the light of their reports, our work has been planned.

We have been able to provide many different types of school activities through which our children may get social experiences. Our clubs and home room programs are illustrative of these activities. Over twenty clubs have been organized based upon the interests of the students, while the discussions in the home room groups have been designed to accomplish several purposes all leading toward social competence. Much of the material secured in the Industrial Survey of Rochester is to be used in these groups. Vocational information will be presented and a study made of different occupations.

The school library is proving of real value to the work of the school. It has between 1200 and 1500 volumes on its shelves with from 600 to 700 pupils using its facilities daily.

We are using the facilities of the building so that our rooms are occupied practically every period of the day. The shops, laboratories, gymnasium, and music room are busy nearly every period while community activities as well as school activities keep the gymnasium and music room busy practically every afternoon and evening.

Our students have shown a fine attitude in their care of the building. Nothing has been destroyed and the equipment as a whole shows only the ordinary wear which a thousand boys and girls might be expected to cause in a period of five months.

It seems to me that our new building has already begun to serve the needs of our children and of Rochester to a very large degree. This is noticeable in many directions, the community use of the building, the attitude of the students, the enriched offerings the building makes possible, the athletic facilities, and the library.

It is our hope as the year progresses that the transition through which we are passing will produce a more effective understanding of our problems and will result in a better education for our boys and girls.

Respectfully submitted,

CARROLL W. PEAVEY,

Headmaster.

STUDENT ACTIVITY ASSOCIATION
FINANCIAL STATEMENT

September 7, 1938, to June 24, 1939

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand September 7, 1938	$989 81
Student Activity	241 20
Red and White	593 60
Football	1,868 66
Basketball	418 90
Baseball	503 14
Dramatics	501 79
Camera Club	35 61
Class of 1938	2 03
Class of 1939	582 70
Class of 1940	323 29
Class of 1941	114 34
Class of 1942	299 03
Outing Club	32 21
Music Club	437 42
Change	365 00
Transfer from activities to Class of 1938	30 28
	$7,339 01

EXPENDITURES

Student Activity	$241 20
Red and White	565 92
Football	1,801 35
Basketball	388 64
Baseball	455 57
Dramatics	334 48
Camera Club	18 83
Class of 1938	26 00
Class of 1939	795 12
Class of 1940	138 96
Class of 1941	26 80
Class of 1942	172 30
Outing Club	23 50
Music Club	322 70
Change	365 00
	$5,676 46

Balance in Checking Account	$1,286 87
Balance on Savings Account	375 68
	$7,339 01

The foregoing account has been audited and found correct,

J. STACY TRIPP,
City Accountant.

August 7, 1939.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith submit my report as School Nurse for the year 1939.

The year 1939 brought about a number of changes in the Health Department of the Schools. The Spaulding High School has provided a very complete Health Unit. The students have taken advantage of this department in the past few months and I find that they are becoming health conscious and I feel that this is a great advancement in our program.

In connection with the Physical Education Department the students in the Junior High and High School were given a physical examination. The pupils, as a whole, were found to be in a fairly good physical condition, but, certain defects were uncovered, which, when they have been corrected will make the children much better students and citizens. The students' eyes have been tested and reports sent to all the parents concerning the children's condition.

A Tuberculin Skin Testing Clinic is being planned for the Spring. This privilege will be offered the Juniors and Seniors of the High School. It is advised by proper authorities that this is the age group to skin test.

The health of the pupils in the grade schools has been very good in the past year. The contagious disease rate has been very low. Chicken-pox and mumps prevailed during the first part of 1939 but only a very small percentage of the children contracted these diseases. The common cold still persists in being the most troublesome illness among the children. More absences have been caused by colds than by any other disease.

During the past three years there has been an opportunity for each child to be examined by Dr. N. K. Chesley, the school physician. About ninety percent of the students have accepted. Numerous homes have been visited by me in connection with these examinations and I find the parents to be very kind and cooperative in trying to remedy the defects found by the doctor. These home visits give me the advantage of becoming better acquainted with the parents. I am pleased to report that the eye corrections in the grade schools are about 95 percent.

The crippled children of Rochester are being very well taken care of. They are given expert care and advice at the Manchester Orthopedic Clinic by specialists in this field. The State Board of Health provides a nurse to give therapeutic treatments to these children at a clinic held at the Spaulding High School every other week.

A dental clinic is being planned for our schools. I would like to recommend a dental program starting with the correction of the first grade children's teeth and following them through school until they are old enough to care for their own teeth. It will take a few years to see the results of such a program but it is the only possible way to do any constructive work.

At this time, I would like to thank the local charitable organizations for their part in aiding the underprivileged children in this city. The organizations have supplied clothing, milk, and food and have assisted with the correction of defects.

I take this opportunity to thank you, Mr. Rollins, and the teachers of the school department for their cooperation and kindness in the past year.

Respectfully yours,

NORA C. SCAHILL, R. N.,

School Nurse.

TABLE A—REGISTRATION AND ATTENDANCE

FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1938-39

	No. Pupils Registered*	Boys	Girls	Average Attendance	Average Absence	Average Membership	Percent of Attendance	No. of Tardinesses
ALLEN SCHOOL								
Bernice E. Frye	29	23	6	23.02	1.34	24.36	94.49	10
Edith F. Mitchell	39	20	19	34.73	1.84	36.57	94.97	16
Helen Stever	42	21	21	37.41	1.20	38.61	96.89	14
Laura S. Elms	21	13	8	16.81	.52	17.33	96.99	7
Jeanie J. Keir	36	19	17	29.09	.98	30.07	96.74	6
Erma R. Goodwin	34	19	15	31.66	.97	32.63	97.02	4
Ethelyn K. Jones	34	16	18	31.82	.58	32.40	98.20	2
L. Russell Heath	41	22	19	38.88	1.06	39.94	97.35	4
SCHOOL STREET								
Dorothy Langley	41	19	22	37.91	1.78	39.69	95.51	25
Jane McDonald	38	20	18	35.25	1.02	36.27	97.18	37
Phyllis J. Bliss	36	20	16	34.57	.80	35.37	97.73	16
Marion E. Nelson	25	16	9	23.52	.78	24.30	96.79	16
Carrie L. Cooper	32	15	17	30.14	1.07	31.21	96.57	14
Arline I. Woodward	37	14	23	34.59	1.05	35.64	97.05	10
Mary W. Rhodes	42	22	20	37.71	1.13	38.84	97.09	32
Violet M. Davis	39	17	22	34.74	.92	35.66	97.42	13
MAPLE STREET								
Mildred Whipple	38	20	18	36.06	2.11	38.17	94.47	31
Gladys G. Redlon	27	14	13	21.56	.93	22.49	95.87	17
Florence W. Pearson	32	13	19	27.95	1.06	29.01	96.34	19
Louise P. Sawyer	32	18	14	27.31	1.17	28.48	95.89	7
Ida B. Meader	42	23	19	36.90	1.48	38.38	96.14	23
Dorothy E. Whiting	38	20	18	36.25	1.72	37.97	95.47	37
Edith Kelley	34	8	26	32.25	1.02	33.27	96.93	16
Florence E. Dame	36	18	18	34.20	1.31	35.51	96.31	24
GONIC								
Grace M. Meader	26	13	13	22.39	1.04	23.43	95.56	2
Lillian Davis	40	23	17	35.39	1.38	36.77	96.24	5
Hilda I. Hoey	36	22	14	31.60	1.86	33.46	94.44	10
Charlotte M. Leighton	31	15	16	27.52	.93	28.45	96.73	2
EAST ROCHESTER								
Mabel E. Warburton	30	18	12	25.89	.72	26.61	97.29	4
Ruth B. Brown	26	16	10	23.68	.77	24.45	96.85	11
Inez M. Cole	40	17	23	35.09	.68	35.77	98.09	3
Marie M. Nixon	32	18	14	28.30	.82	29.12	97.18	10
Helen E. Lord	26	11	15	21.62	.53	22.15	97.60	1
Geraldine Willey	24	11	13	22.17	.34	22.51	98.48	7
Alice D. Goodwin	23	12	11	22.48	.38	22.86	98.33	2
High School	551	269	282	486.39	22.46	508.85	95.58	450
	1730	875	855	1546.85	59.75	1606.60	96.28	907
1937-38	1681	844	837	1487.51	54.44	1541.95	96.47	976
1936-37	1667	849	818	1470.16	52.78	1522.94	96.53	775
1935-36	1648	836	812	1454.12	49.34	1503.46	96.71	837
1934-35	1622	813	809	1437.18	42.71	1479.89	97.11	783
1933-34	1665	835	830	1463.49	49.83	1513.32	96.90	661
1932-33	1535	788	747	1369.20	50.28	1419.48	96.45	551
1931-32	1477	739	738	1318.48	39.70	1358.18	97.06	616
1930-31	1458	726	732	1273.53	43.76	1318.29	96.68	607
1929-30	1485	755	730	1280.52	48.17	1328.69	96.27	901
1928-29	1477	759	718	1241.52	67.05	1308.57	94.87	805

*This excludes re-registration through transfer from one school to another in this city.

TABLE B—TRANSPORTATION

Name	No. Carried Public	No. Carried Parochial	Route	Mileage Per Day	Pay per Week
Henry J. Bourcier	24	30	Rochester Heights, Old Dover Road,	30.	$39.00
Charles A. Foss	45	10	Dry Hill, Hansonville,	22.4	50.00
Cecil J. Hall	67	7	Chestnut Hill, Farm., and Ten Rod Roads,	50.	55.00
Edwin Pray	34	12	Meaderboro,	32.	45.00
Norman J. Raitt	47	11	Rochester Hill and Salmon Falls,	40.	40.00
Harvey Warburton	86	4	North Rochester, Shoreyville,	47.	45.00
Sumner Watson	18	14	Pickering, Lit. Canada,	29.4	40.00

Pupils transported from East Rochester by bus to attend St. Mary's and Holy Rosary Schools 9

TABLE C—JANITORS

Name of School	Name of Janitors	No. Weeks Employed	Pay per Year
Spaulding High	Shelden McEwan	52	$2080
	William Herron	52	1144
	William Grassie	44	968
	Harry Hoyt	44	968
Allen	Robert Blair	41	902
School Street	Leroy S. Redlon	41	902
Maple Street	James Sanfacon	41	902
Gonic	Fred E. Hanscom	41	902
East Rochester	Hermon Thompson	41	902

TABLE D—TEACHERS, JANUARY 3, 1940

School	Grade	Name	Educational Preparation	Home
Superintendent		Arthur S. Rollins	Dartmouth College (S3)*	Rochester
Spaulding High				
Headmaster		Carroll W. Peavey	Dartmouth College (S4)	Rochester
Submaster	Mach. Shop 5, Elec. Shop 4	Harold W. Hanson	General Electric (S3)	Rochester
	Biology 3, Phys. Geog. 4	Alva Z. Allen	Dartmouth College (S1)	Brookline, Mass.
	Bkkp. 4, C. Law 6, Soc. 6, Type 4-5	Frances Bailey	Plymouth Normal School (S2)	Rochester
	English 3-4-5-6	Mabelle C. Coleman	Emerson College of Oratory (S3)	Rochester
	History 1-2, Math. 1	Florence E. Dame	Plymouth Normal School (S6)	Rochester
	Librarian, Dir. of Guidance	Violet M. Davis	Keene Normal School (S1)	Portsmouth
	Eng. 2-4, Gen. Math. 3, Math. 2	Marion Dow	University of N. H.	Pittsfield
	Eng. 1, History 1-2	Charlotte Floyd	Plymouth Normal School (S1)	Farmington
	History 3-6	Helen E. Foss	Bates College (S6)	Rochester
	Drawing 3, S. Phys. 5, Mech. 6	Harry W. Grierson	Gorham Normal School (S3)	Rochester
	Eng. 4, Latin 3-4-5-6	Beatrice E. Ham	Colby College (S2)	Livermore Falls, Me.
	Civics 3, French 4-5-6	John Edward Harvey	Bates College (S1)	Rochester
	Health 1-4, History 2-4, Civics 3	L. Russell Heath	Keene Normal School (S2)	Rochester
	Shop 1-2, Gym 3-4, Health 6	J. Milton Jeffrey	Fitchburg Teachers College	Rochester
	Family 6, Sewing 1-2, Text. 3, Health 1	Edythe K. Johnston	Keene Normal School (S1)	Barre, Vt.
	Eng. 3, Gym. 4-5-6, Health 4-5-6, Math. 1, Sci. 1	Edith G. Kelley	Plymouth Normal School (S5)	Dover

TABLE D—TEACHERS, JANUARY 3, 1940

School	Grade	Name	Educational Preparation	Home
	Eng. 1, Hist. 1, Math. 1-2	Charlotte M. Leighton	Plymouth Normal School (S2)	Rochester
	Geom. 4, Gym. 3-5-6, Health 1-3-4, Sci. 2, Physics 5-6	Adolph J. Leocha	University of N. H.	Claremont
	Chem. 6, Health 3-4-5-6, Math. 2, Sci. 2	Eugene C. Maxam	University of N. H. (S6)	Rochester
	English 3-4-5-6	Bernice Jordan Mitchell	Bates College (S2)	Mechanic Falls, Me.
	Alg. 3-4, Geom. 4, Hist. 4, Trig. 5	Lewis L. Montrone	University of N. H. (S2)	Keene
	Elec. Shop 5, Mach. Shop 6, Gym. 3, Health 2-3, Sci. 1	Paul H. Nordman	Keene Teachers College (S1)	Keene
	Jr. B. Tr. 3, Eng. 3-5-6	Beatrice Nutter	University of N. H. (S1)	Rochester
	Gym 1-2-4, Health 1-2-5	Maurice J. O'Leary	University of N. H. (S7)	Rochester
	Civics 3, Econ. 5, Sten. 5, Type. 5	Maude W. Palmer	Plymouth Normal School (S2)	Rochester
	Eng. 1-2, Math. 1-2, Sci. 1	Mary W. Rhodes	Portsmouth Training School (S3)	Rochester
	Art, 1-2-3-4-5-6	Day Z. Spaulding	Penn. Museum School of Ind. Arts (S4)	Lebanon, Pa.
	Cooking 1-2, Sewing 1, Foods 4, Home 5	Lola M. Springfield	Nasson Institute (S1)	Gonic
	Cab. Mak. 3, Pat. Mak. 4	Douglas Stevenson	Wentworth Institute (S3)	Barrington
	Bkkp. 4, Bus. Org. 5, Math. 2, Off. Prac. 6	Eva L. Stevenson	Bryant & Stratton (S3)	Barrington
	Gym. 1-2-3-4-5-6, Health 1-2-3-4-6	Sarah W. Tilton	Russell Sage College	Laconia
	Art 1-2, Eng. 1-2, Math. 1	Geraldine E. Willey	Plymouth Normal School	Alton

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School	Grade	Name	Educational Preparation	Home
Allen	I	Bernice E. Frye	Portsmouth Training School (S1)	Portsmouth
	II	Edith F. Mitchell	Plymouth Normal School (S2)	Gonic
	III	Helen R. Stever	Keene Normal School (S1)	Claremont
	IV	Laura S. Elms	Plymouth Normal School (S3)	Lisbon
	V	Jeanie J. Keir	Salem Normal School (S1)	Rochester
	VI	Erma R. Goodwin	Gorham Normal School, 1 yr. (S4)	Rochester
School Street	I	Dorothy M. Langley	Plymouth Normal School (S4)	Manchester
	II	Jane McDonald	Keene Normal School (S4)	Rochester
	III	Phyllis M. Bliss	Wheelock Kindergarten School (S3)	Rochester
	IV	Marion E. Nelson	Keene Normal School (S2)	Rochester
	V	Carrie L. Cooper	Plymouth Normal School (S1)	Northwood
	VI	Arline I. Woodward	Plymouth Normal School (S1)	Franklin
Maple Street	I	Mildred E. Whipple	Plymouth Normal School (S3)	Gonic
	II	Gladys G. Redlon	Keene Normal School (S2)	Rochester
	III	Florence W. Pearson	Plymouth Normal School (S3)	Madison
	IV	Louise P. Sawyer	Plymouth Normal School (S3)	Rochester
	V	Ida B. Meader	Rochester High School (S3)	Rochester
	VI	Dorothy E. Whiting	Plymouth Normal School (S4)	Dover
Gonic	I-II	Grace McD. Meader	Bridgewater Normal School (S2)	Gonic
	III-IV	Lillian Davis	Plymouth Normal School (S1)	Reed's Ferry
	V-VI	Hilda I. Hoey	Plymouth Normal School (S4)	Gonic
East Rochester	I	Mabel E. Warburton	Bridgewater Normal School (S4)	Rochester
	II	Ruth B. Brown	Keene Normal School	Center Strafford
	III	Edna B. Wilson	Plymouth Normal School (S2)	Manchester
	IV-V	Marie M. Nixon	Plymouth Normal School (S1)	East Rochester
	VI	Alice D. Goodwin	Gorham Normal School (S4)	So. Berwick, Me.
	Opportunity Teacher	Louise F. Sayward	Keene Normal School (S1)	Manchester
	Supervisor of Music	Helen L. Lightbody	Lasell Junior College (S4)	Rochester
	School Nurse	Nora C. Scahill	Gale Hospital	Rochester

*S indicates attendance at a full session of Summer School. The figure indicates the number of such sessions.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

January 1, 1939, to January 1, 1940

RECEIPTS

Appropriation	$124,359 00	
Reimbursement for amount paid 2 cadet teachers	74 02	
		$124,433 02

EXPENDITURES

Administration:	
Printing and office supplies	$441 91
Attendance officer	550 00
Census of children 5-16	110 00
Telephone	344 29
Superintendent's expenses	167 97
Postage	83 44
Instruction:	
Salaries	79,658 91
Substitutes	527 75
Textbooks	2,545 31
Pupils' supplies	2,744 23
Graduation exercises	86 00
Operation and maintenance:	
Janitors' salaries	7,576 68
Janitors' supplies	785 51
Paper towels and toilet paper	236 83
Fuel	3,966 29
Light	1,323 93
Minor repairs	576 85
Auxiliary Agencies:	
Library and reference books	203 76
Nurse's salary	1,494 52
Medical supplies and services	289 05
Transportation	10,155 29
Equipment and Other Charges:	
New equipment	975 90
Typewriters	331 06
Insurance	2,479 29
State supervisory tax	3,158 00

Special repairs	$578 17	
Mechanic Arts	1,091 20	
Basketball	60 00	
		$122,542 14

Unexpended balance, December 31, 1939, $1,890 88

J. STACY TRIPP,
City Accountant.

CALENDAR 1940-1941

		Grades	High School
1.	September 4 to December 13 2 weeks' vacation,	15 weeks	15 weeks
2.	December 30 to February 21 1 week's vacation	8	8
3.	March 3 to April 18 . . . . . . 1 week's vacation	7	7
4.	April 28 to June 13	7	
	April 28 to June 20		8
		37 weeks	38 weeks

NO SCHOOL SIGNALS

Two blasts upon the fire alarm, repeated once, will be the signal for no school. When sounded at 7:05, all schools will be closed. When sounded at 8:00 A. M., there will be no school for elementary grades in the forenoon. When sounded at 12:30 P. M., there will be no afternoon session. When the signal is sounded at 11:15 pupils will be dismissed at the usual morning closing hour for the rest of the day. The same signals will be sounded at Gonic and at East Rochester. Radio station WHEB announcement at 7:30.

GRADUATION EXERCISES

CLASS OF 1939, ROCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL

Opera House, Rochester, New Hampshire

PROGRAM

Overture—"Spirit of the Winds," *Bennet*

ORCHESTRA

"THE GATEWAY"

A Pageant for Commencement

"The Gateway" is an allegory whose characters portray the best elements of human nature and depict the influence they exert upon youth.

Cast of Characters in order of appearance

Prologue	John Arthur
Spirit of Rochester High School	Jeannette Toohill
Graduate	Isabelle Barber
Health	Elaine Roy
Understanding	Calvin Foss
Accuracy	Samuel Dorr
Observation	Bernard Corson
Appreciation	Ethelyn Hall
Expression	Mary Louise Lanoix
Service	Edna Rosen
Labor	Norman Daigle
Agriculture	Margaret Wright
Commerce	James Mitchell
Law	Ralph Sanders
Medicine	Leonard Marshall
Fine Arts	Barbara Horne
Mother	Barbara Jones
Boy	Stavro George
Girl	Mary Mitchell
Character	Rita Boivin
Courage	Ruth Babb
Loyalty	Alberta Massey
Faith	Josephine Bagley
Hope	Hazel Dickerson
Purity	Rita Breton

PROGRAM (Continued)

Truth . . . . . .Mary Callaghan
Love . . . . . Marcia Belinsky
Instrumental Music . . . . Leon Chapman
"Ave Maria," vocal solo . . . Dorothy Dow

SINGERS

Alice Monroe
Dorothy Lawson
Beatrice Duquette
Rita Breton
Marcia Belinsky
Dorothy Dow
Barbara Jones
Mary Mitchell
Alma Meader
Walter Blackadar
Leo Dupont
Robert Dickie
Stavro George
Edgar Gray
Studley Nesbitt
Clarence Longley
William Keliher
Frederick Kidder
Malcolm Lowe

MUSICIANS

Charles Sylvain
Yvan Cormier
Leonard Hanson
Forrest Davis
Burton Bickford
Wallace Kimball
Archer Cummings

PROCESSIONAL

Josephine Barnard
Honora Bradford
Dorothy Chisholm
Esther Colby
Marjorie Coram
Elaine Demers
Winifred Downs
Priscilla Fowler
Florence Horne
Pauline Lamontagne
Ruth Lyons
Prudence Manchester
Norma Mooney
Betty Neal
Annie Stearns
Ida Mae Sunderland
Margaret Gilmore
Betty Woodman
Merritt Weeks
Wallace Blanchard
Philip Caplette
George Davenport
Donald Dixon
Robert Emerson
Lawrence Foss
Donald Ham
George Hurley
Donald Lachance
Harold Lemke
Lawrence Malone
George MacLeod
Harold Merrill
Fletcher Phillips
Sumner Robbins
Henry Theberge
Harold Thompson
Albion Weeks
Alfred Weeks

PROGRAM (Continued)

SCENERY

Clifton Simons Lawrence Winchell
Harold Wentworth

Presentation of Diplomas,
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS ARTHUR S. ROLLINS

March—"Commencement March," *Hudson*

ORCHESTRA

CLASS MOTTO
"Rowing, Not Drifting"

CLASS COLORS
Blue and Gold

CLASS FLOWER
Rose

CLASS OFFICERS

President . . . . . Robert Emerson
Vice-President . . . . . Rita Boivin
Secretary . . . . . Dorothy Dow
Treasurer . . . . . Stavro George

EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATES, JUNE 16, 1939

ALLEN SCHOOL

Betty Balomenos
Raymond Beaudoin
Arnold Bennett
Edith Bickford
*Richard Bickford
Virginia Bickford
Lena Brazeau
Edmond Breton
Leo Carter
Jean Chadbourne
Harry Chase
*Robert Colbroth
Royston Cosgrove
Gilbert Creteau
Lola Davis
Priscilla Dow
Harry Foss
Robert Gerry
Roland Gilbert
Gloria Grassie
Joseph Hammond
Elmer Horne
Harriet Hoyt
Paul Lamie
Yvette Lamontagne
Barbara Lamper
Myra Lowell
Elizabeth McClelland
Pauline Merrill
Raymond Patch
Lynn Potter
Jean Pratt
Marion Rickards
Drucilla Roberts
Ruth Roberts
Lee Stanley
Kermit Thurston
Thais Vachon
Clayton Weymouth
Annie Wiggin

SCHOOL STREET SCHOOL

Loretta Arno
Victor Bagley
Ethel Brown
Grover Chesley
Jane Collins
*Blanche Copp
Kathleen Corson
Emerson Dame
*Blanche DeGrace
Adella DeRoy
Richard DeRoy
June Dixon
William Downing
*Gertrude Enman
James Faulkingham
Aldo Garland
*Beatrice Gauthier
Evelyn Hartford
Pearl Hartford
Elsie Herdt
Robert Hersom
Virginia Hersom
Barbara Hunt
Sarah Johnson
Geraldine Lemire
Marjorie Littlefield
Thomas Michaud
John Miller
Saunda Pease
Ronald Peavey
Franklin Skinner
Fred Varney
Priscilla Waterhouse
Nathalie Weeks
Harry Wiggin
Edward Wood

MAPLE STREET SCHOOL

Richard Allen
*Burton Austin
Norman Brooks
Ruth Brooks
Helen Bunker
Rachel Burbank
Nick Capodestria
Janice Cooper
Henry Couture
Elizabeth Cummings
Annette Currier
Florence Dutton
Walter Dutton
Blanche Files
*Addie Foster
Normand Hebert
Richard Houle
Carline Howe
Patricia Howland
Cecil Hubbard
Roland Labrecque
Audrey Lafontaine
James Laverdiere
Margaret Linehan
Donald Moore
Florence Moulton
Bernard Nason
George Pray
Louise Pray
Faye Sawyer
Marion Stearns
Leo Tapscott
Robert Veno
Wayne Wallingford

GONIC SCHOOL

Fabien E. Beaulieu
Therese M. Bergeron
Arthur M. Buswell
Jacqueline V. Cossette
Donald P. Daggett
Arthur A. Gilbert
Elaine S. Gowen
Lorraine E. Howard
Phrilla C. Lessard
Orena A. Lizotte
Joseph M. McCarthy
John E. Rennebu
*Rodney M. Southard
Robert E. Spurling

EAST ROCHESTER SCHOOL

G. Scott Amidon
Franklin Bickford
Lillian F. Carpenter
Harold E. Chisholm
Harold A. Cox
Warren E. Crawford
Ellery E. Currier
Louise M. Duquette
Dorothy E. Farmer
Robert E. Goddard
Calvin E. Goff
*Dorothy E. Hartford
Gerald T. Heaney
Elaine G. Jacobs
Janice P. Kay
Janice A. Labbe
Harold M. Lamontagne
Robert P. Mooney
Barbara A. Power
Gertrude L. Rippett
Helen A. Rolfe
Robert E. St. Cyr

* Did not enter Spaulding High School, September, 1939.

IN MEMORIAM

1939

Benjamin Perkins, July 6, 1939. School Street School, Grade 7. Born March 9, 1925.

VITAL STATISTICS

of the

CITY OF ROCHESTER

BIRTHS

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE CITY OF ROCHESTER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1939

Name of Child (if any)	Date of Birth	No. of Child	Name of Father	Age of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Age of Mother
	1939					
Donna Evangeline	Jan. 1	1	Donald E. Tilton	25	Eleanor A. West	23
Philip Robert	1	3	Louis W. Blanchette	30	Genevieve F. Perreault	27
Irene Claire	3	3	Philias J. Chabot	37	Annette R. Soucy	29
Dorothy June	7	1	Raymond H. Huckins	21	Marjorie A. Portrie	22
Lola	10	10	Omer T. Turcotte	48	Leona R. Marcou	36
Rachel Rita	12	3	Rene R. Rainville	34	Louise L. Boulanger	29
Glenn Arthur	14	1	James A. Gilks	31	Lois Z. Calhoun	21
Paul Henry	19	1	Henry T. Breton	24	Pauline Dallaire	22
Rochella Ann	19	2	George Brassaw	34	Annie Clement	31
Patricia Carolyn	20	1	Ivan Otis Osgood	22	Josephine V. McCarthy	21
Rowell Glorius	22	2	Leo Lemelin	22	Bela Gosselin	29
Frances Ann	22	1	Andre J. Michel	30	Kathleen M. Nealand	25
———	23	6	Theodore J. Smith	37	Elevina Arel	32
Paul Allan	25	3	Arthur F. Walker	29	Florence M. Valenti	26
William Foss	27	1	Wm. Austin Lenfest	23	Marjorie M. Foss	21
Carlene Ann	27	1	Norman A. Brochu	29	Emilinne B. Lemire	27
Ronald Eugene	*27	1	Edgar H. Provencher	18	Antoinette Metivier	17
John Leonard, Jr.	29	1	John L. Stone	36	Helen M. Newbury	25
Clayton Earl, Jr.	Feb. 1	1	Clayton E. Bousquin	30	Marion L. Johnson	23
David Bradean	2	2	Elliot W. Marsters	34	Louise A. Walbridge	23
Philip Arnold	3	2	Russell O. Bickford	24	Martha W. Babineau	28
Phyllis Ann	3	3	Russell O. Bickford	24	Martha W. Babineau	28
Gloria Marie	4	1	Paul Paquette	21	Theresa Therrien	18
Raymond Ernest	5	2	Ernest R. Jacques	25	Fernande H. Lassonde	24
Constance Claire	8	1	Arthur C. Jutras	30	Ora L. Creteau	35
Richard Charles	11	1	Charles Mills	25	Edna E. Mariotti	23
Lawrence Edward	11	2	John Noone	34	Myrtle H. Plummer	26
Priscilla Gail	12	1	Walter G. Stevens	22	Marjorie W. Stevens	21
David Lawrence	12	1	Lawrence P. Eaton	28	Helen S. Hill	22
David Hollis	16	1	Hollis L. Davenport	28	Esther E. Otis	31
Sharon Lee	17	1	Wm. T. Dierauer	27	Maxine E. Daudelin	21
Dorothy Louise	19	5	Raymond C. Sherman	47	Irene Boucher	39
Richard Alan	21	1	Russell W. Bennett	31	Laurella G. Peacor	20
Chester Sherbon	23	1	Clarence I. Jewell	20	Priscilla E. Webster	19
Gail Frances	25	1	Jeffrey F. Francoeur	34	Margaret F. Bourque	20
Mark	25	1	Frederick J. Devereux	30	Helen R. Coyle	30
Robert Martin	28	1	Lawrence E. Elliott	30	Mabelle L. Hoyt	36
Edward Joseph	Mar. 5	1	Conrad O. Parent	25	Jeanette A. Desaulnier	24
Marcia Geraldine	7	1	Gerald G. Lapierre	25	Antoinette R. Bilodeau	32
Dean Richard	7	3	Howard E. Chase	31	Winona M. Wormwood	29
Richard Robert	12	1	Wilfred J. Doyon	35	Eldora A. Emmond	23

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Name of Child (if any)	Date of Birth	No. of Child	Name of Father	Age of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Age of Mother
Richard Allen	Mar. 12	2	Myron K. Tufts	28	Louise E. Kinney	22
Margaret Ruth	13	3	Geo. D. Hilton	31	Martha F. Adams	24
William Lawrence	13	2	Lawrence A. Prentice	29	Mary N. Ames	28
Paul Wayne	13	5	Myron E. Bowen	40	Lena A. Johnson	38
Norma Lorraine	15	7	Raymond A. Beaudoin	40	Hazel M. Weeks	33
Priscilla Therese	16	2	Real Bibeau	28	Delie A. Bilodeau	26
Glendon Warren	16	1	Warren E. Berry	23	Mildred L. Osgood	22
Sandra Patricia	17	2	Shay Gold	30	Rose Moskowitz	27
Paul George	*18	1	Paul G. Clements	20	Mary B. Portrie	20
William Warren	18	5	Warren C. Rainaud	39	Evelyn M. Garland	32
Dorothy Irene	19	2	Oliver J. Richard	35	Alice L. Belleville	32
Donna Mae	21	1	Vincent Y. Brooks	21	Olive E. Parent	20
Yvonne Alice	23	1	Joseph P. Ducharme	43	Esma L. Landry	30
Denneth Wayne	24	1	Perley I. Lee	42	Mabelle E. Bennett	29
Peter Charles	27	1	Donald E. Bolduc	26	Elizabeth M. Sullivan	29
Shirley Celia	27	3	Arthur Massingham	31	Nellie A. Strout	26
Robert Alan	30	1	Donald A. Smith	24	Florence P. Rolfe	18
Forrest Alvin	30	1	Forrest H. Wallingf'd	23	Thelma M. Hitchcock	18
Leo Gideon	Apr. 1	1	Leo Leon Soucy	34	Lillian A. Dodier	18
Donald Paul	1	2	Geo. Herbert Varney	29	Beatrice E. Blanchard	26
Nancy Lee	3	3	Charles O. Ward	32	Lovisie Garland	27
Jean Ann	3	1	Newell J. Whalen	18	Pauline L. Hartford	17
Robert Ernest	4	3	Nils G. Andreasson	27	Gertrude E. Tufts	24
Roger Albert	4	4	H. Norris Jacobs	31	Grace R. Hersom	25
Robert Lee Jos.	*6	1	Joseph Menard	21	Doris Belle Howe	17
Sandra Jeanne	6	1	Frederick Cookson	20	Dorothy A. Coram	20
Gloria May	7	1	Charles R. Fifield	24	Louise Drapeau	17
Jos. Jean Paul	7	1	Paul E. Richard	33	Edna E. Robichaud	28
Leon Wilfrid	8	4	Eddie F. Sanfacon	37	Madeleine Sylvain	32
Jos. Freeman	8	3	Morris Isenstein	32	Gertrude Bess	33
Harry Robert	9	1	Guy R. Smith	23	Myrtle L. Derby	18
William Norman	10	2	Geo. F. Price	22	Myrtle A. Cross	23
Peter	12	5	Eugene M. Tapscott	36	Marion K. Murphy	33
Raymond Earl	14	1	Raymond E. Pike	32	Margaret E. Stanhope	24
Barbara Dawn	15	2	Bernard J. Lachance	23	Lorraine R. Richey	19
Donald Paul	16	3	Alwin L. Lesperance	30	Gertrude M. Dupont	20
Eleanor Jane	16	1	Leon H. Rideout	35	Leola P. Willett	31
Patricia Theresa	16	1	George A. Couture	21	Mary E. McKee	22
Claire Arline	18	2	Albert Jacques	28	Lorette Gagne	22
Alice Thelma	18	9	Chas. O. Parizo	29	Marion L. Dubois	31
Joan Elizabeth	24	6	Dexter A. Bradbury	31	Doris L. Downing	30
Chas. Isaiah	24	3	Victor M. Chadbourne	21	Beryl D. Kelley	24

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Name of Child (if any)	Date of Birth	No. of Child	Name of Father	Age of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Age of Mother
Louise Marie	Apr. 24	1	Emile R. Vermette ...	28	Barbara I. Sessler ...	20
Eva	25	5	Alfred Lafleur	28	Odelie St. Laurent ...	23
John Wardwell ..	25	1	————		Pauline J. Wardwell ..	23
Carol Ann	25	2	Cassimere Wm. Giera	29	Virginia S. Dunnells .	24
Gerard Edward ..	26	4	Norbert N. Brannan ..	38	Ruby A. Tufts	25
Donald Herbert ..	26	2	Cecil R. Allen	30	Barbara F. Mastic	32
Mildred Louise ..	29	1	Fred A. York	25	Ethel M. Hayes	18
June Madeleine ..	29	1	Gerard A. Bonenfant .	20	Madeleine M. Beaulieu	17
Marilyn Frances .	30	2	Francis E. Vayo	38	Elizabeth M. Magner .	35
Donald Thomas ..	May 5	1	Octavien R. Sylvain .	26	Angelina Tetreault ...	22
Wm. Wilfred, Jr.	6	2	Wm. W. York	35	Edna F. Hurd	37
Kenneth Alvin ...	7	1	Edward A. Littlefield .	23	Phyllis F. Cress	19
Marie Antoinette	9	4	Albert A. Ouellette ...	36	Leonelda C. Custeau .	33
Robert Roland ...	9	3	Valmore V. Davis	35	Adrienne Lafontaine .	33
David Eugene ...	9	1	Harold W. Mosher	22	Alberta S. Willard	21
Raymond Louis ..	10	1	Louis E. Turgeon ...	30	Jeannette R. Mondou .	23
Edward Eugene .	13	2	Stanley Canfield	29	Olive Burres	21
Elizabeth Anne ..	13	2	Chas. F Douglas	33	Alice E. King	26
Edw. Eugene, Jr.	14	5	Edward E. Cossette ..	41	Antoinette Ferland ...	33
Joanne	15	1	Jos. N. Connors	28	Anna E. Connors	28
Tristram R., Jr. .	15	6	Tristram R. Fall	29	Florence M. Michael .	27
Judith	16	1	Chas. F. Adams	22	Margaret L. Sawyer ..	22
Everett Arthur ..	18	2	John H. Fader	38	Rita M. Despres	31
David Francis ...	20	1	Benoit A. St. Laurent	24	Mary G. O'Malley	24
Hazel Betty	20	2	John A. Smith	27	Esther T. Souza	16
Dwight Orman ..	22	2	Orman Mann	32	Germaine E. Maxfield	25
Robert E., Jr. ..	23	1	Robert E. O'Malley ..	27	Jeannette A. Dubois .	25
Richard Leo	23	2	Robert E. O'Malley ..	27	Jeannette A. Dubois .	25
Paul Anthony ...	25	1	Leon A. Richardson ..	35	Mary E. Joyal	34
Philip	25	1	Philip A. Nangle	26	Marion M. Parks	28
Eunice Cath'ne ..	28	4	Loren Irving Smith ..	24	Marjory Wiggin	24
June Ellen	28	5	Downing W. Osborne	40	Greta Welch	28
George Jos., 3rd .	29	1	George Jos. Rogers .	26	Azelle H. Huntington	21
Bruce Alfred	30	1	Thomas A. Dumais	29	Lilia Louise Chasse ...	34
Gerald Thomas ..	31	4	George W. Gowen	28	Rachel Houle	29
Theodore Miniard	June 2	2	Francis O. Howard ...	23	Margaret O. Downs ..	23
Sharon Lee	2	1	Geo. A. Colby	27	Elizabeth Burbank ...	29
Weyland Philip ..	3	1	Philip D. Pike	24	Beatrice L. V'Buskirk	21
Myrtle Louise ...	3	8	Jos. R. Stevens	22	Edith V. Parkhurst ..	37
Richard Martin ..	4	1	Martin J. Bergeron ..	24	Muriel A. Field	20
John Henry	4	1	John H. Ineson	35	Mary L. Corson	24
Richard Bernard .	5	1	Bernard Geo. Gagne .	35	Blanche Y. Michaud ..	28
Robert Everett ..	5	3	Frank E. McIntire ...	24	Marie E. McKeagney .	20
Cynthia Ruth	8	2	Clyde W. Paey	27	Louise C. Huntress ...	23

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE CITY OF ROCHESTER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1939

Name of Child (if any)	Date of Birth	No. of Child	Name of Father	Age of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Age of Mother
Gaye Pearl	June 8	2	Emery C. Bronson	24	Lois A. Fownes	30
Estelle Irene	8	1	Armand Aubert	24	Florence E. Burley	21
June Rose	9	3	Geo. M. Ricker	31	Bertha J. Wiggin	30
Alice Patricia	17	2	John Wm. Hall	31	Gean F. Newbury	21
David Leon	17	1	Leon E. Cormier	27	Pauline A. Hull	25
Frederick Regis	19	1	Geo. A. Dupre	33	Evelyn M. Hersom	22
John Philip	20	1	Philip L. Bartlett	27	Marcia R. Marble	22
Rodney Charles	21	1	Robert M. Wotton	19	Flora Charles	24
Guy Everett	21	1	Kendrick B. York	21	Sadie Carll	22
Marie S. M.	22	1	Adelard R. Aubin	22	Lillian Roy	28
Oscar Rowell	24	4	Oscar R. Moulton	32	Zena Tibbetts	31
Barbara Jean	26	1	Beverly H. Davis	26	Gertrude M. Tinker	27
David Thomas	27	1	Thomas B. Quimby	32	Geneva R. Hartford	21
Molly Rosemond	27	5	Wm. Thos. Leighton	38	Leona Grace	26
Alicia Irene	30	1	Peter M. Mickelonis	29	Agnes I. Smith	18
Kathleen Sheila	30	5	John W. Leahy	38	Marieanne Ouellette	39
Albert, Jr.	July 1	4	Albert E. Gile	31	Sara F. Weeks	29
Cecile A. Demers	2	1	Edouard Mercier	24	Rose Demers	22
Richard Paul	*3	2	Harold Newhall	23	Emma Gauthier	21
Raymond, Jr.	3	5	Jos. R. Ritchie	26	Charlotte Betts	22
Maureen Velma	5	1	Robert S. Rumazza	30	Velma VanBuskirk	29
Geraldine Phyllis	5	4	Raymond B. Peabody	29	Carolyn J. Hopkinson	25
James Alliston	5	2	Orlando E. Pickering	27	Eleanor E. Lord	25
Jean Mary	8	2	Donald J. Lucey	27	Mildred E. Tirrell	21
Jos. Albert	8	6	Ernest F. Bryant	54	Albertine A. Gagne	28
Judith Lee	12	4	Robert I. Varney	26	Martha E. Caverly	24
Gloria Margaret	12	2	Frederick C. Estes	25	Ethel A. M. Walker	25
Donald Bruce	14	5	Rex M. Emerson	32	Ada M. V. Trobaugh	36
Kenneth Leslie	15	1	Everett B. Rollins	29	Effie L. Fowle	29
Gail Celina	17	3	Archie T. Coran	33	Gladys M. York	26
Kendrick Lester	17	4	Ernest H. French	28	Mildred G. Newhall	25
Lawrence Benton	17	2	Leroy B. Merrill	29	Florence E. Hodges	26
Beatrice	18	1	Nick Morris	39	Vasileke Apostol	27
Eloise Ida	19	1	Robert H. Woodsom	19	Glendene T. Emmons	20
———	19	2	Robert H. Woodsom	19	Glendene T. Emmons	20
William Charles	19	1	Geo. P. Remick	23	Ethel M. Berry	20
Leo	20	1	Wilfred J. Tremblay	31	Delia R. Desharnais	38
Joseph P.	21	3	John P. Murray	26	Jeanne A. Davis	28
Robert H., Jr.	21	3	Robert H. Reynolds	35	Helen L. Estey	32
Robert William	23	3	Arthur L. Brown	33	Pearl I. Smith	28
Joyce Bessie	24	2	Freeman L. Johnson	36	Margaret L. Carpenter	23
Wayne Merritt	24	1	Harold M. Keith	27	Rita O. Beaulieu	22

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Judith Ethel	July 25	8	Roy M. Perkins	42	Lucy M. Snow	35
Roger Oscar	27	1	Oscar J. Gosselin	34	Mary A. Goupil	31
Cynthia W'nwright	28	1	Chas. W. Varney, Jr.	26	Marjorie Wainwright	25
Carl Lawrence	28	3	Clarence A. Glidden	29	Mary A. Webber	27
Richard Earl	28	2	George A. York	21	Barbara T. Wyatt	21
Edwin S. B.	30	1	Kenneth Rand	20	Frances I. Burrows	20
Richard N., Jr.	30	1	Richard N. Shorey	25	Marion E. Bailey	23
Jos. Ernest R.	31	2	Lauria E. Letourneau	34	Jean G. Dumont	21
James Henry	31	2	Jos. J. McCarthy	22	Anna M. Delenco	22
Sally Evelyn	Aug. 1	1	Robert E. Caverly	20	Mildred S. Norman	27
Marie Dorothy	2	1	Reginald Bovin	25	Dorothy Vezina	25
Bruce Rodney	2	2	Erlon H. Furbush	20	Thirga A. McGrath	18
Barbara Mae	2	1	Winfred J. Duguay	27	Merry E. Bailey	25
Nancy Ann	4	3	Jack Gotz	39	Gertrude Snider	33
Randolph W., Jr.	5	1	Randolph W. Gerrish	22	Barbara L. Haley	23
Judith Ann	5	1	Lawrence S. Ramsey	25	Ruth E. Stevens	20
Mary M'garet R.	5	2	Jos. R. Gagnon	25	Rose A. Poulin	22
Carol	6	1	Howard F. Stone, Jr.	22	Ruth M. Evans	22
Elwin John	7	2	Robert E. Kendall	24	Maxine D. Kelley	21
Ronald Ellwyn	8	1	Chas. H. W. Laskey	26	Roberta E. Littlefield	23
Frank Carlino	8	9	Chas. O. Hunter	49	Jennie E. Magee	39
Bruce Raymond	8	1	Frank M. Wescott	26	Roberta A. Young	22
Marie Jeannine	11	1	Lorenzo T. Ross	29	Marie O. Brochu	27
Paul	12	3	Alfred W. Howard	31	Cecile D. Maxfield	26
Ralph Clinton	12	3	Kenneth W. Dodge	25	Emma L. Farnham	25
Mary Louise	17	4	Paul P. Stark	36	Mattie Burley	36
Don'ld K. Pickering	17	1	————	—	Ruth D. Pickering	21
Patricia Rita	18	2	Henry J. A. Charland	23	Lillian R. Brennan	23
Dickie	19	3	Verne S. Hanscom	36	Lina Huntress	29
John Maurice	19	1	Maurice F. Stevens	31	Olga I. Langford	30
Clinton Raymond	21	2	Clinton R. Moholland	32	Cora M. Columbus	35
Andrew Bryan	21	2	Chas. H. Scott	26	Louise M. Lachance	18
Gertrude Ann	23	1	John M. Jeffrey	24	Gertrude F. Ruaine	23
Gloria Elaine	23	1	Everett J. Dutton	21	Laura F. Richardson	21
Alberta	23	2	Alfred Marcoux	23	Mary A. Maddox	22
Rodney Lowell	23	1	Chas. J. Thomas	22	Laura E. Stone	19
Maurine Judith	25	2	Leonard G. Williamson	30	Maurine C. Thomas	24
Corinne Eleanor	25	1	Howard E. Dame	24	Virginia A. Littlefield	27
Bruce Wayne	26	3	Frank W. Garrett	28	Beryl Severance	26
Lawrence Eugene	26	4	William L. Thomas	43	Eleanor B. Tirrell	30
Carla Jane	29	1	Carleton R. Gosselin	18	Viola V. Chase	15
Jo Ann	30	2	Leo A. Fortier	23	Arlene V. Gordon	22
Edna May	31	1	Guy W. Murby	21	Leona A. Jewell	17
Leonard Chester	Sept. 4	2	Philip C. Wilkins	22	Blanche I. Martineau	19

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Frances Ann	Sept. 4	1	Leo J. Normand	30	Alice Habel	28
Jacqueline Sharon	5	2	Scott A. Weare	24	Blanche A. Grenier	21
Paul Raymond	7	2	Edgar R. Lassonde	26	Lillian Gagnon	23
Gerald Llyn	7	1	Howard S. Sneirson	20	Alice C. Letourneau	22
William Marshall	8	2	William T. Hall	26	Margaret C. Marshall	19
Alan Shelly	10	2	Samuel J. King	34	Frances K. Shelley	32
William Conrad	11	1	Conrad C. Hanson	23	Janet F. Raynor	19
Ronald Wilfred	11	1	Archie Grenier, Jr.	39	Thelma Vachon	34
John Louis, Jr.	11	1	John L. Hartigan	29	Winifred E. Berry	25
Nancy Lydia	12	2	Joseph E. Levesque	33	Bernice A. Marceau	32
Judith Emily	13	2	Joseph F. Philpot	29	Janet L. Columbus	24
Elaine Jacqueline	13	3	Raymond J. Daigle	33	Julia L. Labrecque	30
Beverly Elizabeth	17	2	Victor B. Thompson	29	Jennie E. Reynolds	24
Frank Melvin	20	6	Charles F. Staples	36	Doris S. Willard	27
Patricia Jeannette	20	2	Norman W. Brown	23	Jeannette M. LeBlanc	20
Wm. Anthony, Jr.	20	3	William A. Gibson	31	Hope W. Ramsdell	26
David Richard	21	1	Harold B. Pinkham	45	Edith P. Wiggin	40
Norman Joseph	21	1	Joseph H. Turgeon	25	Anita Drolet	21
Carolyn Anne	23	1	Harold W. Boardman	34	Virginia E. Crockett	25
Sandra Lee	23	1	Ralph H. Chabot	20	Glena M. Soule	20
Anne Ethel	24	2	Maurice H. Greenfield	31	Lois P. Graves	24
Richard Paul	24	1	Wilbrod P. Cantin	26	Margaret M. Healey	25
Roberta	25	1	Omer Jos. Laliberte	38	Mary R. Shaw	33
Joyce Noreen	25	1	Norris H. Young	33	Flossie O. Auclair	33
Kathleen Mary	26	6	James H. Mooney	54	Muriel L. Merrill	28
Philip Maurice	27	4	Oscar M. Polhemus	40	Helen W. Simons	35
Mary Veronica	27	3	C. Leo Taffee	41	Gertrude M. Regan	—
Joseph Arthur	27	1	Secondo J. Soldati	23	Edna D. Garibaldi	22
Mildred Sharon	29	2	Albert Hamel	28	Carmella Fabiano	24
William Miles	30	2	Job Alonzo Malsbury	29	Audrey L. Hagerman	28
Robert Lee	Oct. 1	1	Arthur L. Taylor	22	Lorraine L. Rancourt	17
Nancy Elizabeth	*1	1	Kenneth S. L. Jones	31	Ethelyn G. Kelley	34
Lloyd Olin	1	2	George O. White	42	Elvie F. Wixson	29
Janet Louise	1	1	David L. Goodwin	23	Margaret L. Brown	19
————	2	3	Daniel Davis	28	Helen Colby	24
Bertha Guila	*2	1	Arthur W. Reed	24	Marjorie M. Davis	23
Robert Vern	2	1	Vernon Blaisdell	22	Marjorie H. Durgin	22
Patricia Ann	3	2	Roland E. Goinsalvos	30	Marion T. Kiley	28
James Lloyd	3	4	Ernest B. Biron	28	Mary C. Baker	28
————	3	6	Everett P. Harmon	36	Louise M. Potvin	38
Arlene Mae	4	4	Gordon L. Hubbard	29	Dorothy F. Gilpatric	30
Carol Ann	8	1	Frank W. Howard, Jr.	27	Alice S. Sponberg	33

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Roger Leo	Oct. 8	3	Leo J. A. Caron	32	J'phine E. Scarborough	28
Rachel Elaine ...	8	2	Alpha Gosselin	33	Georgianna Roy	34
Ella Celia	9	3	Waldo P. Tanner	33	Grace M. Corliss	21
Lawrence Gene ..	9	4	Charles Farrell	47	Jennie Mills	34
James Rodney ...	10	2	Leon E. Weare	22	Ruth F. Blanchard ...	25
Grace Gertrude ..	10	3	Guy E. Berry	41	Clara A. Carll	36
Sandra Jean	10	1	Eugene J. Souza	21	Vera R. Smith	21
Elizabeth	12	1	Clayton S. Lord	29	Helen E. Higgins	32
Juanita Marie ...	16	4	Clarence D. Whitehouse	40	Marie A. Tremblay ..	32
Jeannette	16	3	Alfred Lapointe	26	Helen St. Lawrence .	20
John Leon	18	5	John VanBuskirk	32	Yvonne A. Hamel ...	34
Marjorie June ...	22	3	Walter N. Lingard ...	22	June F. Rhodes	21
Beth Adams	25	1	Edwin A. Sanborn ...	36	Doris Wheeler	36
Ethel Elizabeth ..	28	1	Harrison W. Leonard	23	Dorothy McDuffee ...	21
Royal Hervey, Jr.	29	1	Royal H. Edgerly	21	Lois Hendrickson	24
Gerard E., Jr. ..	Nov. 1	1	Gerard E. Gagne	20	Marion R. Baxter	17
Sharon May	1	1	Albert E. Adams	32	Kathleen F. Johnson .	24
Joanne Evelyn ...	2	1	Wm. R. Hurd	27	Ena M. Downing	26
Janet Ann	4	3	Milton D. Zinck	36	Katherine H. Wishart	36
Diane Carol	5	1	Harold L. Marshall ..	20	Phyllis Waldron	20
Patricia Ann	10	1	Arthur G. Gagne	33	Pauline D. Smith	28
William Francis .	10	3	Gerald J. McKean	36	Margaret A. J. Taylor	31
Rita Madeleine ..	10	2	Maurice P. Tousignant	27	Rachel I. Loranger ..	25
Phyllis Evelyn ..	*10	1	Paul C. Rogers	21	Eunice Stevens	18
Albert Leonard ..	10	3	Emile J. Dumont	34	Eva A. Dumais	33
Bernard Eugene .	11	1	Clayton F. Garnett ...	30	Edith E. Richards	21
———	12	7	Elmer C. Elliott	42	Violet Wilkin	39
Edna Doris	12	3	Winfield G. Fernald ...	29	Abbie S. Huckins ...	33
Kathleen Rachel .	13	3	Earl I. Demeritt	30	Jennie M. Bell	26
Robert Joseph ...	14	7	Albert H. Keenan	53	Blanche A. Merchant .	40
Forrest Harold ..	14	1	Forrest H. Johnson ...	23	Kathleen F. Varney ..	21
Raymond Maurice	17	3	James F. McGinnis ..	52	Florida Payeur	35
Margaret April ..	19	3	Richard L. Hough	31	Lena R. Page	29
David Roger	24	4	Clarence L. Andrews .	33	Ethel A. Towle	33
Estelle Georgiana.	25	5	George P. Bouchard ..	28	Irene I. Dubois	28
Evelyn Pauline ..	26	2	Gilbert Clough	30	Hazel M. Holland	23
Patricia Yvonne .	26	2	Forest S. Haselton ...	22	Delima M. Prefontain	20
Judith Marlene ..	26	2	Benjamin Cortell	30	Lillian B. Nesbitt	25
Marie A. B.	26	1	Lucien Laurion	23	Marie B. E. Bolduc ...	23
Marie A. C.	27	1	Joseph H. Mercier, Jr.	22	Marie E. A. Gagne ...	30
Bettyann C'stina .	28	1	Clinton H. Cole	22	Mary Kehaides	21
Constance Ann ..	30	1	Leo Cormier	23	Etienette I. Bosquin .	22

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Norma Jean	Dec. 2	1	Norman G. Davis	36	Violet M. Leighton ..	34
Frederick Arthur	2	1	Francis W. Cote	20	Ruth M. Brown	22
Richard William .	*4	2	Arthur A. Drouin	25	Pauline G. Venon	21
Robert Glen	6	5	Herman J. Horne	34	Mildred E. Dow	35
Raymond G., Jr. .	6	3	Raymond G. Herries .	29	Inez P. Garais	24
George Arnold ..	9	2	Wilfred Raymond	25	Irene Y. Letendre ...	22
Beverly Ann	9	2	Roy H. Tebbetts	18	Theresa B. Metidier ..	21
Raymond Paul ...	10	1	Lucian P. Dubois	24	Alice R. Paul	18
David Patrick ...	11	2	Robert C. Henry	39	Mildred E. Mathews .	39
Judith Ann	11	2	Peter Cassell	27	Edith F. Tuttle	26
Albert Joseph ...	13	2	Gene A. Pichette	28	Rose L. Caplette	20
David Quimby ...	14	1	Edwin Q. Towle	31	Patricia Willey	25
Jean Carol	14	2	Robert M. Rodger ...	34	Helen D. Haines	27
Marelyn Jane	15	2	Theodore Hooper	34	Dora M. Lampert	31
Bernard D., Jr. .	15	1	B'nard D. K'chanowski	31	Nellie P. Jabloński ...	23
Lorraine Anita ..	16	2	Harvey A. Coulombe ..	26	Marion A. Peavey	23
Joseph Hughes ..	17	1	Charles H. Keefe	27	Honora E. McGurty ..	27
Donald Kent	17	2	Everett E Gardiner .	34	Lucille Brownell	29
Rodney Edward ..	19	1	Edward W. Hall	21	Elsie Shaw	19
David Charles ...	20	1	Charles E. Fisher, Jr.	24	Antoinette A. Dallaire	26
Mary Ann	*22	1	Angelo John Ramaccia	24	Ida Mae Liberty	27
Gerald Warren ..	22	1	Francis W. Hanscom .	30	Dorothy R. Brazeau ..	19
Frank Kendall ..	24	1	Ernest A. Lord	26	Dorothy J. Hall	19
Geraldine Mary ..	25	1	Vincent J. Lucey	25	Doris M. Bowen	26
Yvonne Ruth ...	25	1	Frank L. Long	23	Janice R. Jervais	19
Norman	25	2	Albert Charron	28	Mildred A. Labrecque	28
Edward James ..	29	2	Frank Walker	22	Blanche Brogan	19
Joseph A. Roger .	30	2	Joseph G. Tremblay ..	38	Beatrice C. Castonguay	32

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Name of Child (if any)	Date of Birth	No. of Child	Name of Father	Age of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Age of Mother
	1868					
Fred L.	Feb. 13	1	Ezra Shorey	—	Abbie Parshley	—
	1869					
Charles C.	Sept. 9	1	John F. Torr	40	Mary C. Downs	29
	1870					
Etta Abbie	June 13	4	Andrew J. Winn	38	Ellen A. Davis	27
	1871					
Simon A.	Dec. 13	2	John F. Torr	42	Mary C. Downs	31
	1874					
Albert Henry ...	Jan. 21	1	Alonzo A. Chase	24	Clara J. McDuffee ...	19
	1876					
Amy Louise	May 20	6	Thomas Ingham	47	Dorcas Jane Knipe ...	44
George H.	20	3	John F. Torr	47	Mary C. Downs	36
	1877					
Frances Mae	Feb. 18	8	Frederick B. Rollins .	47	Ann Mary Hoyt	39
	1879					
Joseph Edward ..	Nov. 8	1	Simon Wolf	24	Fannie Livingstone ..	20
	1884					
Ludger	Mar. 1	6	Louis Grenier	42	Marie Jacques	32
	1891					
Marie Alida	Dec. 25	5	Jean Baptiste Nadeau	36	Delima Perreault	27
	1893					
Joseph L. N. ...	Oct. 9	6	Pierre Lessard	33	Georgina Lessard	27
	1894					
John Joseph	Feb. 27	14	Joseph Sylvain	39	Delia Gagne	39
	1895					
Joseph Wilfrid .	Jan. 28	4	Louis Labrie	30	Obeline Turmelle	32
	1898					
Marie Belona	Feb. 18	3	Evangeliste Turmelle .	24	Dilima Bolduc	22
	1900					
Joseph L.	Apr. 6	4	William H. Descary ..	28	Ida F. Hall	33
	1902					
Edmond J.	July 4	6	Louis J. Labrie	37	Obeline Turmelle	29
	1913					
Harold E.	Oct. 17	1	Irving E. Cole	28	Lottie M. Card	32
	1916					
Stuart Claxton .	Sept. 21	1	Thomas H. Andrews ..	22	Ruth M. Tibbetts	24
	1920					
Carl	June 11	2	Roscoe Winkley	31	Eunice Varney	29
	1923					
Louis Renald	Apr. 16	3	Joseph Dubois	46	Lydia Laliberte	49
	1925					
Frances E'zabeth .	May 9	2	James Herbert Willey .	49	Grace Fletcher	29

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	1927					
Marie Estelle	Dec. 31	4	Ernest Doyon	28	Alfreda Hebert	24
	1933					
Willis Burton ...	Jan. 28	2	Lewis M. Hartford ..	56	Ellenor Hughes	18
Joan Marlene	Feb. 4	3	Frederick Osborne ...	33	Pearl Carll	27
Barbara	Dec. 20	4	Eugene Huntress	45	Irma Jones	29
	1934					
Maynard Jos. ...	Sept. 19	3	Joseph J. Orr	—	Gertrude Kennard	25
	1937					
Frederick Guy ..	June 2	2	Leon G. Hall	38	Bernice M. Davis	23

MARRIAGES

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Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Age	No. of Mar.	Date	By Whom Married
*Lester H. Faulkingham	Rochester	21	1	Jan. 7	Rev. B. W. Maxfield
Beatrice E. Littlefield	Rochester	17	1		Dover
*Edgar J. Watson	Rochester	22	1	21	Rev. Johnson A. Haines
Thelma Mayotte	Meredith	18	1		Meredith
*Edgar Provencher	Gonic	18	1	26	Rev. A. A. Sylvester
Antoinette Metivier	Somersworth	17	1		Somersworth
Alphonse Auclair, Jr.	Somersworth	20	1	28	Rev. C. W. Trudel
Alice Chretien	Rochester	18	1		Rochester
Henry M. Glover	Rochester	24	1	Feb. 4	Rev. J. N. Seaver
Betty L. Thompson	Rochester	30	1		Rochester
*Alexis L. Demers	Manchester	26	2	18	F. Roger Miller, N. P.
Louise Portrie	Rochester	28	2		So. Berwick, Me.
*Oliver A. Lafontaine	Rochester	23	1	18	Rev. A. A. Sylvester
Jeannette F. Fournier	Somersworth	22	1		Somersworth
*John L. Hartigan	Rochester	27	1	20	Rev. J. F. Happny
Winifred E. Berry	Somersworth	24	1		Somersworth
Almon E. Thompson	Rochester	20	1	21	J. A. Emery, J. P.
Evelyn M. Sevieri	Rochester	19	1		Rochester
*Roy F. Leavitt	East Bridgewater, Ms.	48	3	25	Rev. F. G. Kinsley
Mary E. Dalton	E. Rochester	38	2		Hampton
Wendell K. Palmer	Concord	24	1	27	Rev. E. E. Gardiner
Dorothy L. Emerson	Rochester	20	1		Rochester
*Armand St. Peter	Rochester	29	1	Mar 25	Rev. D. Carrieres
Rose A. Sylvain	Graniteville, Vt.	38	1		Graniteville, Vt.
*Wesley A. Kinney	Pittsburg, Kansas	43	1	Apr. 6	Rev. I. B. Farnum
Lena T. Wolens	Pittsburg, Kansas	31	1		Farmington
*Herbert J. Thyng	Dover	23	1	9	Rev. Leon Morse
Hilda I. Barnard	Rochester	20	1		Dover
Wm. Jos. Mattocks, Jr.	Gonic	20	1	10	Rev. N. A. Bouchard
Thelma A. George	Gonic	23	1		Gonic
*Raymond A. Brazeau	Rochester	21	1	15	Rev. J. M. LeGuennec
Frances S. Roubo	Sanford, Me.	22	1		Sanford, Me.
Leon A. Bourdon	Wolfeboro	26	1	15	Rev. Fr. Whalen
Alice M. Burleigh	Rochester	21	1		Rochester
Brackett Chase Evans	Rochester	30	1	21	Rev. Fr. Whalen
Lillian A. Ladebauche	Sanford, Me.	28	1		Rochester
John Thomas Curry	Rochester	27	1	22	Rev. Ernest Brodeur
Jeanette M. Vachon	Rochester	24	1		Rochester
Paul John LaRoche	Farmington	18	1	22	Rev. J. H. Cormier
Lena T. Langevin	Rochester	18	1		Rochester
Josephat Laurion	Rochester	21	1	22	Rev. N. A. Bouchard
Louise M. Dolan	Rochester	20	1		Gonic
Charles H. Keefe	Dover	26	1	27	Rev. T. J. Whalen
Honora C. McGurty	Rochester	27	1		Rochester
Leo Frenette	Rochester	25	1	29	Rev. Ernest E. Brodeur
Olive Maxfield	Rochester	22	1		Rochester
Raymond Tanguay	Somersworth	21	1	29	Rev. N. A. Bouchard
Olive Bonenfant	Gonic	18	1		Gonic
*Thomas A. Seaward	Rochester	56	2	29	Rev. Ralph S. Huffer
Katherine D. Anderton	Dover	53	1		Dover
*John R. Palmer	Dover	23	1	30	Rev. Raymond L. Hall
Ruby M. Johnson	Rochester	18	1		Dover
*Edward Hall	Rochester	21	1	May 6	Rev. Arvid L. Anderson
Elsie Shaw	Sanford, Me.	19	1		Lebanon, Me.

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*Charles Hodsdon	Somersworth	34	1	May 6	Rev. J. F. Morin
Alice Gelinas	Rochester	32	1		Sanbornville
William P. Meiklejohn	Somersworth	23	1	6	Rev. J. H. Cormier
Jeannette M. Gilbert	Rochester	26	1		Rochester
Gerard E. Gagne	Dover	19	1	13	Rev. E. E. Brodeur
Marion Baxter	Rochester	17	1		Rochester
*Roger McAllister	Rochester	25	1	13	Rev. Raymond L. Hall
Addie B. Canney	Dover	19	1		Dover
*Philip E. Grant	Lebanon, Me.	22	1	13	Rev. J. M. Currie
Marjorie L. Watson	Rochester	24	1		Acton, Me.
Walter Jos. Sanfacon	Rochester	39	2	20	Rev. J. H. Cormier
Rolande Ferland	Rochester	19	1		Rochester
*Robert Lefebvre	Rochester	23	1	27	Rev. Valmore Lepine
Beatrice Laurendeau	Sanford, Me.	18	1		Sanford, Me.
*John Jos. Grassie	Rochester	21	1	27	Rev. Edmond Guay
Alva Lorette Roy	Somersworth	18	1		Somersworth
David S. Hanson	Danielson, Conn.	20	1	June 2	Rev. E. E. Gardiner
Bertha F. Furlong	Rochester	18	1		Rochester
*Nelson S. Hatch	Rochester	48	2	2	Rev. L. L. Maxfield
Hilda A. Cormier	Rochester	32	2		Milton
*Alfred Bernard	Rochester	25	1	3	Rev. A. A. Sylvester
Anna Gagne	Somersworth	26	1		Somersworth
Arthur Morin	Rochester	30	1	3	Rev. E. E. Brodeur
Marie A. Larochelle	Rochester	25	1		Rochester
*Raymond Auger	Rochester	40	2	10	Rev. A. L. Anderson
Eva Brigham	Rochester	23	1		Lebanon, Me.
Bertrand Roger Goulet	Somersworth	24	1	17	Rev. J. H. Cormier
Jeannita Letendre	Rochester	24	1		Rochester
*Louis T. J. Archambault	Rochester	24	1	17	Rev. E. L. Bussiere
Alberta L. Daudelin	Farmington	18	1		Farmington
Carlyle B. Roberts	Rochester	22	1	22	Rev. H. L. Faulkingh'm
Lilian E. Faulkingham	Rochester	19	1		Rochester
Henry Bolduc	Rochester	23	1	24	Rev. E. E. Brodeur
Pauline Masse	Rochester	23	1		Rochester
Joseph Guerin	Rochester	32	1	26	Rev. C. W. Trudel
Alice Paul	Rochester	23	1		Rochester
John P. Kimball	Brookline, Mass.	23	1	28	Rev. C. W. Trudel
Mary E. LeVangie	Brookline, Mass.	24	1		Rochester
Harry N. Colby	Gonic	22	1	July 1	Rev. N. A. Bouchard
Lucille T. Dupont	Gonic	23	1		Gonic
Rene G. Labrecque	Rochester	23	1	1	Rev. J. H. Cormier
Rita M. A. Letourneau	Rochester	19	1		Rochester
Jos. A. Leblond	Rochester	24	1	1	Rev. E. E. Brodeur
Dorothea J. Spear	Farmington	18	1		Rochester
*James Albert Waterhouse	Rochester	18	1	1	Rev. A. L. Anderson
Emma I. Gerrish	Lebanon, Me.	19	1		Lebanon, Me.
*Jos. A. Portrie	Rochester	25	1	4	Rev. C. E. Burque
Loretta Boucher	Dover	22	1		Dover
Robert H. Ferland	Rochester	27	1	8	Rev. E. E. Brodeur
Ann Walsh	Dover	24	2		Rochester
*Thomas A. Kidder	Manchester	72	2	9	Rev. Harry N. True
Eva J. Jenkins	Rochester	71	2		Manchester
Sumner L. Jenness	Rochester	23	1	15	Rev. E. E. Gardiner
Helen C. Massey	Rochester	22	1		Rochester

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Roger E. Clarke	Ashland, Mass.	26	1	July 17	Rev. E. N. Stevens
Blanche M. Stanton	Rochester	21	1		Gonic
Domenico Befera	Rochester	55	2	26	Rev. M. E. Hall
Josephine Belforte	Rochester	47	2		Rochester
*Glenn W. Stewart	E. Rochester	25	1	Aug. 5	Rev. W. W. Rose
Charlotte Trickey	Lynn, Mass.	25	1		Lynn, Mass.
*Theodore G. Boivin	Rochester	23	1	5	Rev. Rodolphe Heon
Laurette F. Beauchemin	Laconia	21	1		Laconia
*Nicholas Servetas	Rochester	21	1	9	L. Orlo Williams, J. P.
Mildred Downs	Rochester	20	1		Sanford, Me.
Francis W. Cote	E. Rochester	20	1	14	Rev. Fr. Whalan
Ruth E. Brown	E. Rochester	22	1		Rochester
Chas. E. Hersey	Berwick, Me.	21	1	18	Rev. M. E. Hall
Dorothy A. Chisholm	E. Rochester	18	1		Rochester
*Hubert I. Corson	Rochester	22	1	25	Rev. J. Griffiths
Nora E. Conn	Everett, Mass.	26	1		Berwick, Me.
*Robert W. Marcotte	Rochester	22	1	25	R. R. Mathews, N. P.
Marie E. Gagnon	Somersworth	20	1		Berwick, Me.
Isadore C. Ouellette	Rochester	22	1	26	Rev. N. A. Bouchard
Alice Lefebvre	Rochester	19	1		Gonic
Francis W. Hanscom	Rochester	29	1	26	Rev. Fr. Whalan
Dorothy R. Brazeau	Rochester	19	1		Rochester
*Edward L. Caron	Rochester	42	2	26	Edw. F. Gowell, J. P.
Lillian E. Boulet	Dover	38	3		Berwick, Me.
Joseph Routhier	Rochester	29	1	26	Rev. J. H. Cormier
Adeline Ouellette	Rochester	33	1		Rochester
*Clifford R. Henderson	Rochester	20	1	26	Rev. E. L. Bussiere
Geraldine S. Horton	Milton	22	1		Farmington
John E. Harvey	Lewiston, Me.	22	1	30	Rev. J. H. Cormier
Alice S. Wilson	Rome, N. Y.	23	1		Rochester
*Onesiphore Pepin	Rochester	29	1	Sept. 2	Rev. H. L. Semery
Yvonne Beaudoin	Rochester	32	1		Berwick, Me.
*Bernard L. Parsons	Rochester	26	1	3	Rev. Jos. Griffiths
Helen F. Trosky	Portsmouth	25	1		Berwick, Me.
*Emile R. Richard	Rochester	29	1	4	Rev. Leo E. Lavoie
Irene A. Drolet	Somersworth	26	1		Somersworth
Ralph O. Meader	Rochester	40	1	9	Rev. E. E. Gardiner
Louis E. Tripp	Rochester	40	1		Rochester
Vincent F. Traniello	Everett, Mass.	26	1	9	Rev. C. W. Trudel
Jeanette A. Hebert	Rochester	27	1		Rochester
*Michael Roubo	Rochester	23	1	10	James A. Hanley, J. P.
Sophie V. Rudzinski	Laconia	20	1		Franklin
Harry P. Garland, 2nd	Saco, Me.	24	1	14	Rev. M. E. Hall
Marjorie I. Chapman	Rochester	22	1		Rochester
*Joseph E. Parshley	Rochester	34	2	16	Rev. C. T. Brownell
Alice L. Brown	Newton, Mass.	34	2		Haverhill, Mass.
Raymond J. Dallaire	Rochester	27	1	16	Rev. C. W. Trudel
Annette R. Masse	Rochester	25	1		Rochester
*Omer Carignan	Gonic	22	1	30	Rev. A. A. Sylvester
Alfreda Milidonis	Somersworth	21	1		Somersworth
*Frank Dominic Novillis	Boston, Mass.	25	1	Oct. 7	Rev. J. H. Cormier
Lena Estelle Brochu	Rochester	27	1		Rochester
*James George	Dover	24	1	13	Rev. Arthur J. Snow
Pauline Norton	Rochester	20	1		Somersworth

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Alphonse Plante	Rochester	16	1	Oct. 13	Rev. E. E. Gardiner
Barbara Littlefield	Rochester	16	1		Rochester
*Laurel R. Hull	Rochester	24	1	14	R. R. Mathews, N. P.
Ruth H. Nacsin	Rochester	18	1		Berwick, Me.
Robert Couture	Rochester	21	1	23	Rev. J. H. Cormier
Leodina Gauthier	Rochester	18	1		Rochester
*Harrison W. Leonard	Rochester	24	1	25	Rev. A. L. Anderson
Dorothy McDuffee	Rochester	20	1		Lebanon, Me.
Kenneth R. Maloon	Laconia	27	1	28	Rev. E. E. Gardiner
Mildred E. Mathews	Rochester	22	1		Rochester
*Bernard Ham	Milton	22	1	28	Rev. N. A. Bouchard
Rita Burbank	Gonic	18	1		Gonic
Gerard Lefebvre	Rochester	26	1	Nov. 4	Rev. J. H. Cormier
Rachel Leblond	Rochester	21	1		Rochester
Edgar K. Johnson	Rochester	26	1	11	Rev. M. E. Hall
Dorothy B. Place	Rochester	23	1		Rochester
Raglan A. Shatford	Gonic	31	1	11	Rev. J. H. Cormier
Antoinette D. Caplette	Gonic	22	1		Rochester
*Leo Potvin	Rochester	20	1	14	Rev. J. Griffiths
Dorothy E. Hartford	Rochester	16	1		Berwick, Me.
*Raymond Ferland	Rochester	25	1	18	Rev. A. A. Sylvester
Jeannette A. Croteau	Somersworth	19	1		Somersworth
John P. Lemoyne	Rochester	23	1	18	Rev. C. W. Trudel
Louise L. Paul	Rochester	20	1		Rochester
Samuel F. Seavey	Rochester	26	1	18	Rev. E. E. Brodeur
Genevieve P. Lemire	Rochester	23	1		Rochester
William Norton	Rochester	24	1	25	Rev. O. M. Polhemus
Helen Horne	Rochester	18	1		Rochester
Wilbrod Marquis	Somersworth	37	1	25	Rev. E. E. Brodeur
Rose Roxbee	Rochester	28	1		Rochester
Thomas K. Redden	Dover	24	1	25	Rev. Fr. Whalan
Sara J. Watson	Gonic	21	1		Rochester
Edward G. Beane	Portsmouth	25	1	25	Rev. Fr. Whalan
Arline Hayes	E. Rochester	19	1		Rochester
*Laurier L. Cote	Rochester	20	1	25	Rev. E. L. Bussiere
Velma L. Glidden	Farmington	19	1		Farmington
*Floyd S. Huntley	E. Rochester	19	1	25	Rev. E. G. Spinney
Florence G. Savoy	E. Rochester	21	1		Somersville, Conn.
Dan C. Barber	Rochester	22	1	30	Rev. J. H. Cormier
Lorraine E. Lavallee	Rochester	19	1		Rochester
Stephen A. Proulx	Rochester	30	1	30	Rev. E. E. Brodeur
Palma P. Luneau	Rochester	25	1		Rochester
Armand L. Carignan	Somersworth	22	1	30	Rev. Fr. Whalan
Florence C. Francouer	Rochester	21	1		Rochester
*Martin J. Flanagan	Somersworth	36	1	30	Rev. Jas. F. Happny
Mary Nesbitt	Rochester	33	1		Somersworth
*Wallace W. Davis	Rochester	22	1	Dec. 2	Rev. J. Griffiths
Olive Quimby	Rochester	18	1		Berwick, Me.
*Forrest S. Chalmers	Rochester	56	2	9	Rev. J. Griffiths
Katherine N. Dore	Rochester	45	3		Berwick, Me.
*Fred M. Clement	North Rochester	57	1	12	Rev. W. H. Crawford
Katherine T. Clough	Lakeport	61	3		Pittsfield
*Robert N. Bousquin	Rochester	23	2	23	Rev. J. Griffiths
Violet S. Dowe	Farmington	26	1		Berwick, Me.

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Robert L. Corson	Berwick, Me.	30	1	Dec. 28	Rev. Leon E. Peabody
Doris E. Jacobs	Rochester	23	1		Rochester
*Mitchell Gauthier	Rochester	46	1	30	Rev. Chas. E. Burque
Lauria Richard	Dover	35	1		Dover
Leo W. Corriveau	Rochester	26	1	30	Rev. Chas. W. Trudel
Fernande Leblanc	Berlin	27	1		Rochester
Alfred M. Callahan	E. Rochester	23	1	31	Rev. J. N. Barrett
Olive Anna Kay	E. Rochester	22	1		E. Rochester

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				1938	
Harold E. Edgerly	Rochester	28	1	May 7	Rev. J. J. McNamara
Alice W. O'Loughlin	Rochester	25	1		Rochester
Roger H. Howard	Rochester	26	1	June 18	Rev. E. E. Gardiner
Natalie K. Jenness	Rochester	25	1		Rochester

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			Years	Months	Days	
Charles W. Rand	Rochester	Jan. 2	63	10	16	Cerebral Thrombosis
*Florence A. Going	S. Milton	7	56	6	21	Cerebral Hemorrhage
*Mary Gessis	Turkey	7	42			Cancer of Breast
Elmer E. Garland	Rochester	7	77	5	29	Chronic Nephritis
Mary E. Ross	Alton	11	96	9	6	Myocarditis
Edith Parks	Nova Scotia	14	68	3	11	Carcinoma of Colon
George E. Chase, Jr.	L. I., N. Y.	21	15	1	24	Chr. Gastritis
Infant Turcotte	Rochester	23			13	Spina Bifida
Infant Smith	Rochester	24				Premature
Annie A. Cater	Dover	25	77	4	11	Broncho Pneumonia
Laura Vachon	Rochester	25	38	11	11	Carc. of Left Bronchus
William Engen	S. Heart, Minn.	26	55		25	Chr. Myocarditis
Dora M. McCarthy	Bennington, Vt.	29	39	9	28	Chr. Nephritis
Sarah L. Varney	Rochester	29	81	2	24	Chr. Endocarditis
Alphonse Turmelle	Canada	30	64		11	Uremia
*Martha E. Laskey	Acton, Me.	31	71	6	28	Broncho Pneumonia
Christopher B. Chase	Madison	Feb. 2	83	8		Cancer of Liver
Elma J. Clark	Somersworth	3	80	5	6	Hypostatic Pneumonia
*Leonard E. Norris	Alburg Sps., Vt.	3	82	11	24	Intertrochanteric
*Albert B. Hazen	Goffstown	5	79	3	13	Valvular Heart Disease
Margaret Cassidy	New Durham	6	71	8	24	Cerebral Thrombosis
Romeo Tremblay	Somersworth	7	20	4	9	Lymphoblastoma
Blanche E. McCrillis	E. Rochester	10	55	4	20	Angina Pectoris
Albert E. Mackay	Nova Scotia	10	71	10	8	Heart Disease
Joseph Bussiere	Canada	15	85			Gen. Arteriosclerosis
Esther O. Davenport	Farmington	16	31	4	19	Acute Yellow At'phy of Liver
David H. Davenport	Rochester	16				Toxemia of Mother
Emma L. Dickinson	Rochester	16	60	10	22	Cirrhosis of Liver
Philomene McDonald	Canada	21	72			Septic Endocarditis
Marie Creteau	Canada	21	68	10	17	Cerebral Thrombosis
*Owen M. Varney	Farmington	22	85	7	7	Myocarditis Prostatus
W. F. Berkley or Gagne	Waterville, Me.	22	46	10	20	Heart Disease
Catherine S. Long	Ireland	24	54		6	Endocarditis
Charles A. White	Peterboro	26	61	7	19	Chr. Myocarditis
Michael McNally	Ireland	27	73	1	11	Senile Gangrene
Anna S. Trafton	Farmington	28	70	9	18	Cerebral Hemorrhage
*Ned W. Robbins	Wolcot, Vt.	Mar. 4	60	6	19	Acute Gen. Peritonitis
Ellen Crennan	Ireland	7	75		16	Coronary Occlusion
Earl M. Drew	Haverhill, Mass.	15	34		3	Streptococcus Septicemia
Marie Lambert	Canada	18	84	8	25	Lobar Pneumonia
Edward C. Thompson	Farmington	18			1-3	Prematurity
Mary E. Waterhouse	Rochester	18		4	7	Heart Disease

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William T. Dickey	Concord	Mar. 22	46		15	Coronary Thrombosis
Yvonne Dussault	Manchester	22	41	3	15	Eclampsia
John Fleury	Canada	24	83	8	2	Arteriosclerosis
Nellie S. Sanders	Middleton	24	69	8	16	Acute Uremia
John L. Stone, Jr.	Rochester	25		1	26	Broncho Pneumonia
Lillian B. Neal	E. Wilton, Me.	30	79	4	20	Uraemic Coma
Leah Sylvain	S. Johnsb'y, Vt.	Apr. 1	61		27	Carcinoma of Liver
*Peter W. Dwyer	S. Boston, Ms.	7	85	9	22	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Anna Nellie Burke	Milton	8	22		20	Ruptured Appendix
Sarah E. Goodhue	Milton	9	90	5	4	Acute Bronchitis
Emma J. Ricker	Somersworth	10	81	1	29	Chr. Myocarditis
*Clara J. Colomy	Pownel, Me.	11	80	2	22	Carcinoma of Pancreas
Linnie E. Hayes	Berwick, Me.	11	55	4	29	Valvular Heart Disease
*Isaac Pearl	Farmington	14	88	6	29	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Antoinette S. Cate	Rochester	16	77	4	9	Arteriosclerosis
Amelia M. LaClair	Littleton	16	40	11	22	Acute Uremia
Edith M. Martin	Farmington	19	67	11	28	Coronary Thrombosis
*Parker B. Stevens	Rochester	19	71	2	26	Acute Cardiac Decompens'n
Joseph Duquette	Canada	19	85	10	25	Angina Pectoris
Louis Leblond	Canada	20	79		5	Coronary Thrombosis
*Infant Tuttle	Dover	20				Stillborn
Henry L. Peaslee	————	21	56	8	21	Heart Disease
*Alfred Snell	Lee	22	77	8	1	Carcinoma of Pancreas
Eugene W. Mosher	Chicopee F., Ms.	22	54	9	12	Intestinal Obstruction
Theodore Vachon	Canada	24	74	9	27	Cerebral Thrombosis
*Harry L. Meader	Rochester	26	60			Lobar Pneumonia
Demerise Landry	Canada	26	62	9	27	T. B. Peritonitis
*James O. Chase	Ashland	28	57	8	26	Acute Lobar Pneumonia
*Osman C. Blaisdell	E. Rochester	May 10	72	6	9	Pulmonary Tuberculosis
Joseph Larochelle	Canada	12	72	5	4	Heart Disease
*Alice H. Estey	Gonic	13	64			Heart Disease
Sylvia Bouchard	Rochester	15		9		Lenkocythaemia
John V. Parsons	Rochester	18	44	9	2	Coronary Thrombosis
*Samuel Perkins	Rollinsford	21	85			Chr. Myocarditis
Bert D. George	E. Calais, Vt.	21	66		30	Acute Nephritis
Alfred Bisson	Vermont	24	52	5	1	Hodgkins Disease
*Fred O. Mitchel	N. B'wick, Me.	24	84	9	15	Burns of right leg
Albert T. Turgeon	Rochester	24	38	7	13	Angina Pectoris
*Elton P. Vigent	Elmore, Vt.	27	47	6	8	Gen. Arteriosclerosis
Hanorah H. Bradford	Ireland	30	89			Broncho Pneumonia
Charles Knowles	Middleton	June 2	64	5	4	Amyo Trophic Lat. Sclerosis
Caroline Boulanger	Canada	3	77	1	28	Coronary Thrombosis

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*Ida E. Skillen (ings)	E. Boston, Ms.	June 3	84	7	19	Broncho Pneumonia
Raymond C. Watts	Eastport, Me.	5	32	5	25	Pulmonary Tuberculosis
Annie E. Turner	Washi'gt'n, Me.	7	87	3	29	Coronary Thrombosis
Cora A. B. Rowe	Rochester	9	63	10	10	Hypostatic Pneumonia
Emily A. Dillingham	N. B'wick, Me.	9	90	7	18	Abscess Abdominal Wall
*Chas. M. Clifford	Piermont	10	69	11	17	Chr. Myocarditis
Infant Ricker	Rochester	11			1	Melaena
*Gladys Brown	Waitsfield, Vt.	13	64	6	8	Parkinson's Disease
Abe L. Davis	Auburn	15	64	5	6	Progressive Mus. Atrophy
Lucy A. Danforth	Effingham	16	77	1	22	Carcinoma of Colon
Albert R. Drew	Strafford	18	86	7	23	Cerebral Thrombosis
Geo. E. Hersom	N. L'banon, Me.	21	70		17	Appendeceal Abscess
*Alice J. Leahy	Rochester	23	65	5	28	Coronary Thrombosis
Lillian O. Burnham	Rochester	24	58			Fracture of Skull
Susan O. Sanborn	Acton, Me.	25	83			Heart Disease
Celina Caron	Canada	26	73	5	11	Pernicious Anemia
*Lura N. Henderson	Rochester	27	59	10	14	Chr. Myocarditis
Herbert C. Kennett	Madison	28	56	6		Pneumonia
Bertha M. Jennings	E. Rochester	28	19	11	27	Pulmonary Tuberculosis
Frank H. Small	Lewiston, Me.	30	81			Heart Disease
Addie L. Brown	Warner	July 14	56		17	Carcinoma of Cervix
Jane E. Balcom	Grafton, Mass.	16	48		24	Ac. Gastro Enteritis
Robert Richard	Rochester	18	23	3	9	Brain Concussion
——— Woodsome	Rochester	19				Stillborn
——— Tremblay	Rochester	20				Prematurity
Mary M. White	Exeter	31	20	4	19	Acute Nephritis
Miles D. Hagerman	Millville, N. B.	Aug. 6	53	5	15	Perforated Gastric Ulcer
Charles H. Ward	New Hampton	8	73	7	11	Cerebral Thrombosis
Mattie V. Lyle	Rochester	8	89	7	29	Heart Disease
Jennie C. Tilton	Rochester	9	72	10	29	Hypostatic Pneumonia
Frank T. Blaisdell	Lebanon, Me.	11	75	9	19	Old Fracture Femur
Arthur H. Bickford	Rochester	12	58	2	24	Sarcoma of Pelvis
Andrew B. Scott	Rochester	22			1	Protracted Labor
Mary Miller	Scotland	23	71	11	18	Carcinoma of Breast
Clara L. Hayes	Rochester	23	88	3	25	Apoplexy
Mary E. Merrill	Portland, Me.	26	76	2	11	Arteriosclerosis
Jay D. Hussey	Rochester	28	71		13	Pneumonia
Henry E. Morin	Rochester	Sept. 2	39		8	Some Form of Heart Disease
Ella T. Page	G. I. Works	3	79	6	14	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Amilia Lamontagne	Rochester	6	43	6	14	Some Form of Heart Disease
Albert P. Covey	Bridgewater, Vt.	11	77	7	23	Carcinoma of Prostate
Mary N. Jewett	Boston, Mass.	12	78	5	2	Heart Disease

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Nellie E. Meserve ...	Lovell, Me.	Sept. 15	81	10	5	Coronary Thrombosis .....
Elmer L. Hayes	Rochester	17	54	10	5	Chr. Endocarditis .....
*Gertrude L. Simpson	Rochester	29	67	1	23	Carcinoma of Rectum .....
Infant Davis	Rochester	Oct. 2				Anacepholis, Stillborn .....
Infant Harmon	Rochester	3				Premature Stillbirth .....
Lorana Butler	Lebanon, Me. ..	4	84	3	9	Cardio-renal Disease .....
*James McKenney	Dover	5	52	3	17	Psychosis, Cer. Art. (87-b) .
Nora E. Elliott	Oakland, Me. ..	7	64	1	18	Toxic Myo., T. Nep., O. Sep.
Infant Lapointe	Rochester	16			3/8	Cause not determined
*Edward Johnston ...	————	17	53		22	Probably Heart Disease ....
*Marie Rose Lambert .	St. Louis, Que. .	21	40	6	11	General Paresis .....
Ella F'rence Burnham	Lebanon, Me. ..	21	81		28	Hypostatic Pneumonia ....
Harry Ellis	Rochester	24	60	6	18	Coronary Thrombosis .....
Joseph T. Downing .	Concord	28	68	8	9	Cerebral Thrombosis .....
Herbert A. Stahl ...	Milton, Mass. ..	29	69	6	20	Chr. Myocarditis .....
Fred U. Cormier	Rochester	30	52	1	22	Lobar Pneumonia .....
Albert E. Coram	Athol, Mass. ...	Nov. 4	36			Fracture Base of Skull ....
Emma J. Evans	Rochester	4	88		8	Valvular Heart Disease ....
Theodore M. Howard	Rochester	8		5	6	Ac. Gastro-Enteric Toxemia
Howard O. Grant ...	Berwick, Me. ...	10	37	5	9	Fracture of Skull .....
Alfred W. Kay	Biddeford, Me. .	11	66		19	Some Form of Heart Disease
———— Elliott ...	E. Rochester ...	12				Stillborn .....
Marie C. Beaudoin ...	Canada	16	74	3		Coronary Thrombosis .....
*Mary Leavitt	Newfields, Me. .	17	72	11	21	Cerebral Hemorrhage .....
*Sidney I. Hanson	Brookfield	23	75	4	19	Chr. Myocarditis .....
Edward L. Emerson .	Brockton, Mass.	24	31	4	19	Some Form of Heart Disease
Bertha E. Grant	Brookfield	28	58	8	2	Angina Pectoris .....
*Wilber S. Shorey	E. Rochester ...	Dec. 2	66	3	26	Cerebral Hemorrhage .....
Freda Boudreau	Rochester	2	32	1	1	Carcinoma of Cervix Carc.
Walter B. Hammond .	Dover	6	47	8	3	Fractured Skull .....
Daniel Potvin	Canada, P. Q. .	7	87		19	Hypostatic Pneumonia .....
Moses L. Dana Peavey	Somersworth ...	8	58	3	10	Pulmonary Tuberculosis ....
*Sophia E. McSweeney	Lynn, Mass. ...	13	77	11	21	Cardiac Decompensation ...
Nancy E. Laroche ...	Farmington	14		8	24	Asphyxia .....
*Beverly J. Downing ..	Norton, Mass. .	14	14	6	21	Epilepsy .....
*Lucinda M. Wood ...	Rasin, Mich. ...	15	84	4	13	Cancer .....
Marelyn J. Hooper ..	Rochester	17			2	Edema of Lungs .....
Roland Lapointe	Somersworth ...	18	24	2	24	Frac. Skull and Rt. Femur .
Delima Turgeon	Canada, P. Q. .	21	72	3	14	Acute Nephritis .....
Sarah McCallion	Ireland	23	59	11		Chr. Fatty Degen. of Heart
Jane F. Molloy	Ireland	24	80	3	5	Carcinoma of Colon .....
Margery L. Grant ...	Rochester	27	25	7	13	Intestinal Obstruction .....

* Did not die in Rochester.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE CITY OF ROCHESTER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1939

Name of Deceased	Place of Birth	Date	Age			Disease or Cause of Death
			Years	Months	Days	
*John K. Berry	Somersworth ...	Dec. 28	46		13	Cerebral Hemorrhage .....
Mabel L. Abbott	Berwick, Me. ..	29	61	3	28	Cerebral Apoplexy .....
Alice B. Furbush	Andover, Ms. ..	30	76	5	22	Bronchial Pneumonia ....
Wendell E. Orr	Rochester	31	66		8	Some Form of Heart Disease
*Joseph A. Roy	Canada, P. Q. .	31	68	9	3	Angina Pectoris .....

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